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Unless otherwise noted, SA [redacted] conducted all investigation and interviews in the Philadelphia Division, results of which are set out in this report. The interview of ROY E. FRANKHOUSER on 3/4/68 was conducted by SAS [redacted] and [redacted].

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Title: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR.

Character: RACIAL MATTERS

Synopsis:

ROY E. FRANKHOUSER continues to reside at 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa., telephone number 376-3783. He is presently unemployed. Reliable sources reported subject reinstated as head of UKA, Inc., in State of Pennsylvania with title Imperial Representative. One source indicated subject reportedly is head of White Crusaders in Pennsylvania. Subject reportedly a leader in Minutemen organization in Reading, Pa., area. Subject currently has no automobile or Pennsylvania driver's license and is unable to drive. Subject attended Klan meeting at Sumter, S.C., 2/25/68. Subject participated in Klan march and motorcade in Reading, Pa., area, 4/13/68. Subject and eight other Klansmen arrested by Reading PD 4/13/68 following motorcade and charged with inciting to riot. Charges still pending. Subject was speaker at Klan rallies at Rising Sun, Md., 4/27/68; Tuscaloosa, Ala., 5/18/68; and Gamber, Md., 7/13/68. Subject attended Minutemen training sessions in August and September 1967. Subject attended The Assembly of Racist Movements in April 1968. Subject presently a member of Reading, Pa., Model Cities Neighborhood Council. Subject presently operating telephone message service named "FRANKHOUSER SPEAKS" at Reading, Pa. Interview of FRANKHOUSER 3/4/68 set forth. SUBJECT IN POSSESSION OF NUMEROUS WEAPONS AND IS CONSIDERED MENTALLY UNSTABLE. HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS:

I. RESIDENCE

On July 29, 1968, confidential source PH T-1 advised ROY E. FRANKHOUSER continues to reside at 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa.; however, he visits his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. [REDACTED], West Wyomissing, Pa., frequently and has supper there two or three times a week.

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On July 29, 1968, confidential informant PH T-2 advised ROY E. FRANKHOUSER continues to reside at 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa. His current telephone number is 376-3783.

II. EMPLOYMENT

On July 29, 1968, PH T-1 advised FRANKHOUSER is presently unemployed.

On July 29, 1968, PH T-2 advised FRANKHOUSER is presently unemployed.

III. CURRENT POSITION IN ORGANIZATIONS

*A. United Klans of America - Knights of the Ku Klux Klan

Confidential informant PH T-3 advised January 22, 1968, that on January 21, 1968, a meeting of Klansmen was held in Oxford, Pa. The purpose of the meeting was to get the leaders in Pennsylvania to sound out their views as to whether they would welcome ROY FRANKHOUSER as their spokesman or Grand Dragon in the State of Pennsylvania. PH T-3 stated FRANKHOUSER is trying to get reinstated as the Grand Dragon in Pennsylvania with the United Klans of America. PH T-3 stated that a Klanswoman in attendance stated that FRANKHOUSER will be meeting with ROBERT SHELTON in the coming months somewhere in the Philadelphia area. She stated that if this meeting should not take place then FRANKHOUSER will go to see SHELTON at his home.

PH T-3 advised on February 12, 1968, that on February 11, 1968, a group of Klansmen met at Dover, Pa. The purpose of the meeting was to introduce ROY FRANKHOUSER to the

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York, Pa., group and to get the opinion of this group as to whether or not they wanted FRANKHOUSER to represent them in the State of Pennsylvania. It was decided that a letter would be written to ROBERT SHELTON asking him to reinstate FRANKHOUSER as Grand Dragon of Pennsylvania.

Confidential informants PH T-4 and PH T-5 advised on February 26, 1968, that ROY FRANKHOUSER of Reading, Pa., was present at a United Klans of America (UKA) meeting at Sumter, S.C., on February 25, 1968. PH T-4 and PH T-5 learned that FRANKHOUSER has been inactive for about a year; however, he has resumed Klan activity and now holds the post of Imperial Representative of the United Klans of America for Pennsylvania. In this position, FRANKHOUSER will attempt to organize UKA in the State of Pennsylvania. FRANKHOUSER indicated that he now has some financial backing in Pennsylvania and is optimistic about his chances. He said he already has a rally site at Reading, Pa., and will hold a rally this spring.

In an interview by FBI Agents on March 4, 1968, ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa., advised he is presently Grand Dragon and Imperial Representative of UKA in the State of Pennsylvania. He claims to exercise complete control over UKA activities in Pennsylvania and exercises some influence over the UKA in Ohio and New Jersey.

PH T-3 advised February 14, 1968, that this date Exalted Cyclops EDWARD HELLER, York, Pa., and Imperial Wizard ROBERT SHELTON were in contact by telephone. SHELTON was asked if he would reinstate ROY FRANKHOUSER as Grand Dragon or any other title or to let him act as a spokesman in Pennsylvania for the Ku Klux Klan (KKK). SHELTON stated that due to FRANKHOUSER's activities in the past with the American Nazi Party and the suicide of a Jew in his home who was a member of the Klan at the time, it is very doubtful that he would be reinstated. SHELTON did acknowledge the fact that FRANKHOUSER is a brilliant man and could help the cause in Pennsylvania, and that he would bring it to the attention at his next meeting February 25, 1968, with high officials of the Executive Body.

PH T-3 advised March 4, 1968, that EDWARD HELLER, Exalted Cyclops, York, Pa., is in receipt of a letter dated March 1, 1968, from ROBERT M. SHELTON, Imperial Wizard. In the letter, SHELTON made reference to the conversation between himself and HELLER on February 14, 1968, as to the standing of

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ROY FRANKHOUSER. In the letter, SHELTON stated, "Mr. ROY FRANKHOUSER is to serve as a coordinator between this office and the State of Pennsylvania at the time being unless otherwise notified."

PH T-3 advised on March 18, 1968, that on March 17, 1968, a meeting of Klansmen was held at Dover, Pa. The purpose of the meeting was to explain to the group that ROY FRANKHOUSER has been appointed Imperial Coordinator for the State of Pennsylvania. FRANKHOUSER discussed his plans to have large groups of robed Klansmen appear in various cities of Pennsylvania just long enough to create a disturbance and then they are to proceed to their cars and leave just as fast as they can.

On March 26, 1968, confidential informant PH T-6 advised ROY FRANKHOUSER is a representative for the UKA in Pennsylvania.

Characterizations of the UKA - KKKK and the UKA - KKKK, Pennsylvania are contained in the Appendix Section of this report.

B. White Crusaders of the North, also known as White Crusaders

Confidential informant PH T-7 advised June 22, 1967, that on June 19, 1967, EUGENE OSBORNE, who currently holds the position of Coordinator and Recruiter of the White Crusaders of the North (White Crusaders), identified ROY FRANKHOUSER as head of the White Crusaders in Pennsylvania.

C. Minutemen

PH T-2 advised July 24, 1967, that RICHARD SINGLETON stated he feels that Minutemen activities will increase locally now that FRANKHOUSER is head of the Minutemen in the Reading, Pa., area.

A characterization of the Minutemen is included in the Appendix Section of this report.

IV. AUTOMOBILE

PH T-1 advised July 29, 1968, that ROY FRANKHOUSER does not have an automobile of his own and is unable to drive

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an automobile. He does not have a Pennsylvania driver's license and never did.

PH T-2 advised July 29, 1968, FRANKHOUSER does not own an automobile and does not have a Pennsylvania driver's license.

V. ACTIVITY OF SUBJECT

A. United Klans of America - Knights of the Ku Klux Klan

On February 26, 1968, PH T-4 and PH T-5 advised that ROY FRANKHOUSER of Reading, Pa., was present at a UKA meeting in Sumter, S.C., on February 25, 1968.

On April 13, 1968, ROY E. FRANKHOUSER and seven other Klansmen dressed in white hooded robes walked through downtown Reading, Pa., passing out yellow leaflets and white cards. Following the walk, FRANKHOUSER and eight other Klansmen drove around Reading in a two-car motorcade. FRANKHOUSER was dressed in a green hooded robe and the remainder of the Klansmen in white hooded robes. Following the motorcade, FRANKHOUSER and the eight other Klansmen were arrested by the Reading Police Department and charged with inciting to riot. The Klansmen including FRANKHOUSER were released on \$1,000 bail and the charges are still pending as of July 31, 1968.

On April 29, 1968, PH T-3 advised that a Klan rally was held in Rising Sun, Md., Saturday, April 28, 1968. PH T-3 advised that one of the speakers at the rally was ROY FRANKHOUSER, Reading, Pa.

PH T-5 advised May 20, 1968, that on May 18, 1968, at Tuscaloosa, Ala., a Klan rally was held at Alberta City, Jacers Park. PH T-5 identified one of the speakers at the rally as ROY FRANKHOUSER, Reading, Pa.

PH T-7 advised July 1, 1968, he attended a Klan meeting at Bridgeton, N.J., on June 29, 1968, at which meeting [redacted], a Klansman, mentioned attending a Klan meeting in Philadelphia on June 24, 1968, at which ROY FRANKHOUSER was the guest speaker. According to [redacted], FRANKHOUSER announced that a Klan rally would be held in the Reading, Pa., area about the middle of July 1968.

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On July 16 and 17, 1968, confidential informant PH T-8 advised a Klan rally took place on July 13, 1968, at Gamber, Md. PH T-8 identified one of the speakers at the rally as ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, Imperial Representative of Pennsylvania, UKA, Inc., from Reading, Pa.

B. American Nazi Party (ANP)

Confidential informant PH T-9 advised on July 25, 1967, that on that same date some stickers were observed in the possession of ROY FRANKHOUSER. PH T-9 stated these stickers bore the picture of a skull and crossbones. In addition, the stickers bore an inscription which said in essence "Niggers Beware, If You Don't Stop This Year, You Will Die." PH T-9 stated that FRANKHOUSER upon distributing these stickers stated he had gotten them from GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL.

Chief of Police CLARENCE DERR, Reading, Pa., on February 12, 1968, made available a copy of a leaflet reading as follows:

"STUDENTS! SOLDIERS! WORKERS! CITIZENS!
CAN YOU THINK FOR YOURSELF?
OR ARE YOU A SLAVE?"

"THE ALL WHITE COLLEGE LIBRARY AND THE
READING PUBLIC LIBRARY have arbitrarily decided
to BAN (BETTER THAN BURN) a book felt to be
'too CONTROVERSIAL.' These 'BOOK BANNERS'
won't let you read what the book says yourself,
only what 'they say it says--is this fair?
These libraries contain thousands of
communist books, PRO-INTEGRATIONIST NEGRO
books like STOKELY CARMICHAEL's BLACK POWER,
but these book BANNERS don't want to offend
anyone, so they will just ban the book WHITE
POWER from the shelf.

"THIS IS DISCRIMINATION OF THE WORSE SORT--
but you, the taxpayer, can do something to
make the LIBRARY accept this book--PHONE
THE PUBLIC LIBRARY--THEIR NUMBER IS 374-4548
and the head of the PUBLIC LIBRARY is Mr.

[redacted] of [redacted]

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"PHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]--(REMEMBER, HE IS
YOUR EMPLOYEE!).

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"Have you forgotten FAHRENHEIT 451 and the
CENSORSHIP OF DICTATORS? Well, this bunch
of petty bureaucrats have set themselves
up as a DICTATORSHIP of thought.

"You may or may not like GEORGE LINCOLN
ROCKWELL. You may even dislike his book,
that's your AMERICAN RIGHT--but you should
also have the right to ACCEPT OR REJECT IT
YOURSELF.

"STAND UP FOR FREEDOM OF SPEECH.

"FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.

"STAND UP FOR FREEDOM!

"JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

"ARE YOU A SLAVE OR CAN YOU THINK FOR YOURSELF?

"ROY E. FRANKHOUSER
Post Office Box 1432
Reading, Pa.

"National Association for the
Advancement of Freedom of Speech."

PH T-3 advised February 20, 1968, that on February 18,
1968, a Klan meeting was held at Oxford, Pa. The purpose of
the meeting was to decide on ROY FRANKHOUSER's leadership for
Pennsylvania. FRANKHOUSER was asked if he had any connections
with the ANP and about the suicide that took place in his home
two years ago. FRANKHOUSER stated that he would not speak
against the ANP even if ROBERT SHELTON would ask him to because,
in his opinion, they are very dedicated men and are always on
the scene when something is happening. He also said that when
Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING builds the shanties in the cherry trees
in Washington, D.C., the ANP will be there to tear them down

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and they will also announce the opening of their new headquarters on that day.

A characterization of the ANP is included in the Appendix Section of this report.

C. Minutemen

PH T-2 advised on July 24, 1967, that on this same date RICHARD SINGLETON in discussing himself and several other local Minutemen stated that ROY FRANKHOUSER had recently been in Missouri and completed the one week course at Minutemen headquarters. Later he mentioned that this had been over the Fourth of July.

Confidential informant PH T-10 advised on July 4, 1967, that the Minutemen would hold an east coast training session, known as the Eastern States Resistance Warfare Training Program, near Minersville, Pa., commencing about August 1, 1967. This training session would be held for the benefit of Minutemen members residing in the eastern one-third of the United States.

Confidential informant PH T-11 advised on August 22, 1967, the above-mentioned training session was held from August 1, 1967, to August 6, 1967, and one of the persons present was ROY FRANKHOUSER who commanded a training camp site.

PH T-10 advised on August 17, 1967, that information had come to his attention during the training session that FRANKHOUSER was planning to accompany ROBERT DE PUGH on a trip which would cover a three-month period. This trip would consist of a tour of various sections of the United States in order to visit various Minutemen training camps. This trip would commence sometime after August 11, 1967, on which date FRANKHOUSER planned to meet DE PUGH in Baltimore, Md. From Baltimore, DE PUGH and FRANKHOUSER would drive to Kansas City, Mo., area and from there commence their trip. This trip would not only be for the purpose of visiting Minutemen training sites, but would also be for the purpose of enabling FRANKHOUSER to give small arms instructions to Minutemen members at the various camps. For this, FRANKHOUSER would be paid a salary of approximately \$40.00 or \$50.00 per week. Although their

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exact itinerary is unknown, DE PUGH and FRANKHOUSER are planning to spend two or three weeks in Evergreen, Colorado, where they will be in contact with Reverend KENNETH GOFF, believed to be a Minutemen member who runs Minutemen training sessions.

On August 15, 1967, [REDACTED] West Wyomissing, Pa., ROY FRANKHOUSER's stepfather, advised a Pennsylvania State Policeman that ROY had left Reading several days ago. FRANKHOUSER, according to his stepfather, was going to Baltimore, Md., for a few days and then was going to Colorado where he intended to seek employment.

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PH T-9 advised July 9, 1967, that during the period July 2 through July 4, 1967, the second annual convention of the Patriotic Party, the political arm of the "Minutemen", was held in Kansas City, Kansas, and the "Minutemen" training program was held following the convention at the Minutemen headquarters, 613 East Alton Street, Independence, Mo. PH T-9 advised among persons in attendance was ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, Reading, Pa.

PH T-9 advised on July 9, 1967, that the Patriotic Party convention for District #1 convened at 2:15 p.m. on September 3, 1967, in the Continental Room of the Horn and Hardart Restaurant located at King of Prussia, Pa. PH T-9 advised that one of the speakers at the convention was ROY FRANKHOUSER, a member of the Minutemen in Reading, Pa.

Confidential informant PH T-12 advised September 24, 1967, that during the period of approximately August 16 to September 2, 1967, the Minutemen training session was held near Evergreen, Colorado. He stated that among the individuals present at the training session was ROY FRANKHOUSER, a Minutemen leader from Reading, Pa.

PH T-2 advised November 7, 1967, that ROY FRANKHOUSER recently returned to Reading, Pa. FRANKHOUSER said that he had spent a considerable period of time with ROBERT DE PUGH in Arizona, Arkansas, Nebraska, and Colorado while DE PUGH was on a speaking tour. FRANKHOUSER said that he personally stayed in the background. FRANKHOUSER stated that he is very interested in getting the Minutemen group locally to resume activity and

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complained that RICHARD SINGLETON, a local Minuteman, is not as interested in this as FRANKHOUSER feels he should be. FRANKHOUSER stated that when activity is resumed it must be kept a complete secret.

D. White Party of America

Confidential informant PH T-13 advised on April 22, 1968, The Assembly of Racist Movements took place in Washington, D.C., on April 20, 1968, and on April 21, 1968. Among those who registered their attendance was ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa., who indicated he was representing the United Front Against Communists and Pennsylvania Klan.

E. The Berks County Vigilance Committee
(Pennsylvania Vigilance Committee)

On January 2, 1968, Mr. [REDACTED] b6
[REDACTED] St. Joseph's Hospital, Reading, Pa., and Mr. [REDACTED] b7C
[REDACTED] Reading Hospital, West Reading, Pa., advised that sometime during the evening hours on January 1, 1968, some person or persons unknown distributed in numerous public places in their respective hospitals, including waiting rooms, corridors, and public restrooms, numerous copies of a mimeographed letter captioned, "The Berks County Vigilance Committee, Post Office Box 1432, Reading, Pa.," and which contained the typewritten signature of ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, Post Office Box 1432, Reading, Pa. The mimeographed letter stated as follows:

"In view of the numerous rapes and assaults within the last several weeks, it is our contention that the police forces of this area are not capable of adequate protection for our citizenry. Most people would be shocked to know that the incidents reported by the news media are only a fraction of such crimes that are occurring everyday.

"Our new reformed 'Vigilance Committee' is designed to give us the type of puritan justice which apparently is needed at this time. Fathers of rape victims as well as others have joined with the members of the

"United Front Against Communism to fight this sort of crime.

"In a short time, armed sentries will be posted in areas where police protection has failed. Also, a free taxi service will provide for those women who have reason to fear to walk the streets after dark. Applications for volunteers are being accepted. If you are in favor of our new program, please write me--thank you."

On March 11, 1968, Chief of Police CLARENCE DERR, Reading, Pa., advised that on March 10, 1968, literature bearing the heading "The Pennsylvania Vigilance Committee, Post Office Box 1432, Reading, Pa.," was placed on automobile windshields by person or persons unknown in the 900 block of North 11th Street, Reading, Pa. The mimeographed letter contained the typewritten signature ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, Post Office Box 1432, Reading, Pa. The mimeographed letter contained derogatory remarks regarding the Negro race.

PH T-1 advised on June 18, 1968, that several months ago RICHARD SINGLETON conceived and started the Pennsylvania Vigilance Committee which is just a name used by SINGLETON under which he distributes literature. SINGLETON composes the literature, prints them on a mimeograph machine in his home. PH T-1 advised that the leaflet goes out under the name Pennsylvania Vigilance Committee and over the name of ROY E. FRANKHOUSER; however FRANKHOUSER's name is just used as a front.

F. Miscellaneous Activities

A newspaper article appearing on page three of the "Reading Eagle", a daily Reading, Pa., newspaper, on April 17, 1968, advised that the Reading Model Cities Neighborhood Council held its first official meeting last evening in the South of Penn Neighborhood Center, 214 South 6th Street, Reading, Pa. Among the council members who attended last evening's meeting was ROY E. FRANKHOUSER described as "head of the Pennsylvania Ku Klux Klan." (It should be noted that the Reading Model Cities Neighborhood Council is a legitimate organization operating under the Federal Model Cities Program. Members of the council obtained their position by submitting a petition of at least 25 names of persons living in their neighborhoods).

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Lieutenant [redacted], Vice and Intelligence Bureau, Reading Police Department, advised April 1, 1968, that at approximately 10 p.m., March 30, 1968, it was determined that yellow cards, 1½" by 3", were placed in various mailboxes in apartments in the vicinity of Reading High School. The cards contained the notation "FRANKHOUSER SPEAKS, DIAL READING 375-4371" in red letters. (It should be noted that ROY FRANKHOUSER has a telephone message service, "FRANKHOUSER SPEAKS", located at his residence at 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa., telephone numbers 375-4371 and 375-4372. Messages change at irregular intervals). FRANKHOUSER has used the message service to espouse various right-wing propaganda.

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PH T-2 advised April 5, 1968, that RICHARD SINGLETON stated FRANKHOUSER is now getting a lot of attention, more than he had hoped for, through the distribution of literature and his telephone message service, "FRANKHOUSER SPEAKS."

PH T-2 advised April 22, 1968, ROY FRANKHOUSER said today the number of calls made to his telephone message service, "FRANKHOUSER SPEAKS", have dropped from around 8,000 per day to around 2,000 per day.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

A. Weapons

Captain [redacted], Detective Bureau, Reading Police Department, advised July 26, 1967, ROY FRANKHOUSER came to his office last Monday or Tuesday and requested approval for a permit to carry a gun. FRANKHOUSER indicated that he needed the gun for protection and hunting. [redacted] stated that he denied the request. He stated FRANKHOUSER came to his office the next day and repeated his request. When [redacted] denied his second request, FRANKHOUSER asked what further action he could take to obtain a permit. [redacted] stated he advised FRANKHOUSER he could obtain an attorney and take his request to the courts. FRANKHOUSER indicated that this would be his course of action.

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On August 19, 1967, Detective Lieutenant [redacted] [redacted] Reading, Pa., Police Department Vice Squad, advised that he had just learned that ROY FRANKHOUSER had recently reported the theft of a German Luger from his home. Lieutenant [redacted] made available OR #2455-20J which reflected that FRANKHOUSER had personally reported to the Police Department on August 8, 1967, that a pearl-handled Luger automatic was missing from a desk in his home, 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa. FRANKHOUSER admitted that he did not have any suspects and that there were no signs of forcible entry into his place nor any indication there had been intruders. He advised he had last seen this weapon several weeks ago. The weapon is described as a nine millimeter Luger automatic, pearl handles, four inch barrel, serial number 2235. b6 b7C

On February 21, 1968, FRANKHOUSER was contacted by FBI Agents at his home, 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa. FRANKHOUSER showed the Agents numerous of his weapons, all prominently displayed, and many loaded. These included a .38 special made by Charter Arms (a snub-nosed five shot revolver) and a German P38 in nine millimeter caliber. He also exhibited a 20 shot clip for the P38. In addition, on racks on the walls were a 12 gauge pump shotgun equipped with a sling and a perforated medal hand guard around the barrel; a .22 equipped with a telescopic site; a Winchester lever action in 30-30 caliber; and several bolt action rifles of surplus military character. These included three or four Russian rifles, including one semi-automatic, a French rifle which he called a "MAS", and a Swiss "straight pull" bolt action rifle among others. All of these rifles, according to FRANKHOUSER, were in shooting condition. He claimed that most of them had been his fathers and he had inherited them on his death.

B. Finances

PH T-2 advised March 18, 1968, that [redacted] ANP member, visited [redacted] March 17, 1968. [redacted] stated he was in town last week and saw ROY FRANKHOUSER and left some money with ROY. b6 b7C

PH T-2 advised March 28, 1968, FRANKHOUSER stated the distribution of his literature in the Reading area is reaching the 15,000 mark and money is "coming in pretty good." He stated that he is "living half decently now" and is able to pay his bills.

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PH T-1 advised June 18, 1968, that last November he was with ROY FRANKHOUSER and FRANKHOUSER showed him \$2,000 in cash and told him the money came from "The Committee." PH T-1 stated that on several occasions he has heard FRANKHOUSER refer to "The Committee", which is supposed to be giving financial support to FRANKHOUSER to use in the right-wing movement. PH T-1 stated the three people composing "The Committee" are allegedly from Red Lion, Pa.

C. Statements Regarding JOHN F. KENNEDY
Assassination

PH T-2 advised November 7, 1967, that this same date ROY FRANKHOUSER claimed he is keeping in close touch with JIM GARRISON, the New Orleans District Attorney, regarding the KENNEDY assassination probe.

D. Interview of ROY FRANKHOUSER by
Bureau Agents on March 4, 1968

ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa., advised on March 4, 1968, he is presently Grand Dragon and Imperial Representative of the United Klans of America (UKA) in the State of Pennsylvania, claims to exercise complete control over UKA activities in Pennsylvania and exercises some influence over the UKA in Ohio and New Jersey. FRANKHOUSER estimates UKA membership in Pennsylvania at approximately 300 to 400 members. FRANKHOUSER pointed out that he voluntarily disassociated himself with the UKA a year or so ago when he and ROBERT SHELTON disagreed over UKA policy. He stated he was reinstated after a meeting with SHELTON about three or four months ago at UKA headquarters; however, he did not receive his official commission until about three weeks ago.

FRANKHOUSER stated there are five klaverns of UKA in the State of Pennsylvania and mentioned specifically Reading and Pittsburgh. All dues are sent to National UKA headquarters and were recently raised from 50¢ per month to \$1.00 per month. FRANKHOUSER stated dues for the Reading klavern are \$1.50 to \$2.00 because of operating expenses he must have as Grand Dragon. FRANKHOUSER refused to divulge the number of members in the Reading klavern.

FRANKHOUSER again stated that about two months ago the leaders of all major right-wing groups met at his home

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and formed the United Front Against Communism (UFAC) to coordinate intelligence information. He stated that during this meeting differences between the various right-wing groups were "ironed out" and he feels a common understanding and great deal of unity was achieved at this meeting.

FRANKHOUSER further stated that in the very near future the above-mentioned meeting and the formation of UFAC will be made public through a release in a national magazine. He refused to name the magazine. FRANKHOUSER stated that no writer for the national magazine was present for the meeting; however, UFAC will furnish written documented proof of the presence of BOB DE PUGH and BOB SHELTON and other right-wing leaders at this meeting.

FRANKHOUSER advised the Pennsylvania UKA is sponsoring a klan rally in Reading this spring to "kick off several other rallies to be held in Pennsylvania this summer." He claims the rally will be held north of Reading on Route 222, but refused to disclose the exact time and place. He did indicate a lease has been signed between his organization and a farmer who owns the land on which the rally will be held. FRANKHOUSER stated this farmer is a Klan member. FRANKHOUSER stated speakers at the rally will include Imperial Wizard ROBERT SHELTON and BOB JONES of the North Carolina UKA. According to FRANKHOUSER, SHELTON plans to fly into Reading Municipal Airport via his private-owned airplane. FRANKHOUSER stated this rally will be announced in advance on his automatic message telephone system located in his home. The number is 375-4371.

FRANKHOUSER stated he has no control over the Minutemen organization, but has some limited influence in that some of the members come to him for counsel. He stated there is no cross-membership between the UKA and Minutemen as in the past because of the definite distinction between the groups which has evolved.

FRANKHOUSER stated that in his opinion the most violent of the Klan groups are the White Knights who actually advocate "killing niggers." FRANKHOUSER stated the White Knights probably are strongest in New Jersey, but would not estimate their membership. He believes there is a White Knights klavern in the Philadelphia area, but is not aware of klaverns in other parts of Pennsylvania.

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FRANKHOUSER stated he wished to advise the FBI of his control of the UKA in Pennsylvania and make the FBI aware of his policy against violence and criminal activities on the part of his membership. He stated that at such time as he should be unable to control activities of his members he would immediately advise the FBI.

FRANKHOUSER stated that the Pennsylvania Vigilance Committee and the Pennsylvania Rescue Service are "fronts" for his UKA group.

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UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (UKA, KKKK),
REALM OF PENNSYLVANIA

A source advised on August 11, 1967, he has had no contact with ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR., former Grand Dragon of the UKA, INC., of Pennsylvania since midsummer of 1967. The source advised that he was told by FRANKHOUSER in March of 1967 that he, FRANKHOUSER, was no longer associated with nor was he the Grand Dragon of the Pennsylvania Realm of UKA.

A second source advised in November, 1966, that ROY E. FRANKHOUSER had been deposed by ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA, INC., KKKK, at that time as Grand Dragon of the Realm of Pennsylvania. The second source advised that as of that time the de facto leader of the Klan of Pennsylvania was GEORGE HOUSER of Upper Darby, Pa.; however, HOUSER was not formally designated by SHELTON as the Grand Dragon.

On August 16, 1967, the third source advised there are 11 Klansmen in York, Pa. He also said that GROVER E. DESKINS, also known as "Radar" of Newark, Del., recently took steps to reactivate a dormant group of Klansmen in Oxford, Pa., which is a short distance from Newark, Del. DESKINS claimed 35 Klan members, 15 men and 20 women.

On March 4, 1968 the third source advised that EDWARD HELLER, Grand Cyclop, Klansman, York, Pa., had been informed by ROBERT M. SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of UKA, INC., that as of March 1, 1968, ROY E. FRANKHOUSER was to serve as coordinator between SHELTON and the Klansmen in the State of Pennsylvania.

During an interview with FBI Agents on March 4, 1968, ROY E. FRANKHOUSER stated he is presently the Grand Dragon and Imperial Representative of the UKA, INC., of the State of Pennsylvania.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 105-4158

August 2, 1968

Title ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR.

Character RACIAL MATTERS

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted]
[redacted] dated and captioned
as above at Philadelphia, Pa.

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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, (62-0)

DATE: 8/1/68

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR BUREAU SPEAKERS -
INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 7/26/68 ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, 133 South Fourth Street, Reading, Pa., appeared at the Reading RA and advised that in the near future a request would be made by the Crime Reduction Committee of the Reading Model Cities Agency for an FBI speaker to be scheduled by the Crime Reduction Committee. It is noted that FRANKHOUSER is a member of the Crime Reduction Committee.

It should be noted that the Reading Model Cities Agency is a legitimate organization operating under the Federal Model Cities Program. FRANKHOUSER obtained his position with the Model Cities Agency as did all other persons in the Agency by circulating a petition in his neighborhood to obtain the required number of signatures (25) to have himself placed on the agency as a representative of that neighborhood. All members of the Reading Model Cities Agency were thereafter allowed to request positions on committees of their choice. FRANKHOUSER chose the Crime Reduction Committee.

It should further be noted that FRANKHOUSER is the subject of PH 105-4158 and is currently the imperial representative of the United Klans of America, Inc., for the State of Pennsylvania. FRANKHOUSER has also, in various times in the past, been associated with the National States Rights Party, the American Nazi Party, and the Minutemen.

The above information is being submitted for consideration in handling any requests from the Crime Reduction Committee of the Reading Model Cities Agency for a Bureau speaker in the near future.

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 - 1 - 157-341 (UKA, Inc.)
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TO: SAC (105-4158)
FROM: SA [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: ROY FRANKHOUSER
RM - KLAN

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Date

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7/22/68 by SA [REDACTED]

Authenticated
by Informant

7/26/68

Date of Report

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Brief description of activity or material

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Remarks:

ACTION: NONE

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- 1 - 105-4158 (FRANKHOUSER)
- 1 - 157-1555 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157-341 (UKA, KKKK)
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It was learned today that on July 13, 1968, [redacted] visited the home of RØY FRANKHOUSER, 133 South 4th. Street, Reading, Pa. and inquired about the possibility of buying some .45 caliber pistols from FRANKHOUSER. In addition to FRANKHOUSER and [redacted] also present was [redacted] introduced by FRANKHOUSER as "[redacted]" and another man introduced as (FNU) [redacted]. FRANKHOUSER stated he was having weapons made in parts by his colleagues, which weapons are later assembled and sold or used. It is not known whether or not FRANKHOUSER sold or offered to sell any weapons to [redacted].

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During the conversation [redacted] appeared to be "pushing the klan" (promoting the klan).

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (Bufile-97-4262)

DATE: 7/31/68

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (105-4158)

Three copies of approved Security Index card attached. Place photograph and description on reverse side of geographical cards. Cards to be filed in your Security Index.

SUBJECT: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, aka
RM

Re: _____

☒ It is recommended that a Security Index Card be prepared on the above-captioned individual.☐ The Security Index Card on the captioned individual should be changed as follows (specify change only):

Name ROY E. FRANKHOUSER			
Aliases Fred Irisman		☒ Native Born ☐ Naturalized ☐ Alien	☐ Tab Detcom ☐ Delete Detcom
☐ Communist ☐ WWP ☐ NOI	☐ SWP ☐ SDS ☐ RAM	☐ JFG ☐ PLP ☐ SNC	☐ SPL ☐ ANA ☒ Miscellaneous (specify) MINUTEMEN; UKA, KKKK, Inc.
Date of Birth 11/4/39	Place of Birth Reading, Pa.	Race White	Sex ☒ Male ☐ Female
Business Address, Name of Employing Concern and Address, Nature of Employment, and Union Affiliation, if any. Unemployed <i>ST tricker prepared 8/19/68 my</i>		Residence Address 133 South 4th Street Reading, Pennsylvania <i>105-4158-1860</i>	
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TO : SAC (157-2789)

DATE: 8/5/68

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT: KU KLUX KLAN RALLY,
GAMBER, MARYLAND
July 13-14, 1968
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On 7/13/68, [redacted], Confidential Racial Source advised SA [redacted] that due to personal reasons [redacted] would be unable to drive ROY FRANKHOUSER to the Gamber, Maryland rally. However, [redacted] stated he was driving FRANKHOUSER to [redacted], near Chester, Pa. 7/13/68, and from there according to FRANKHOUSER he was to travel to Gamber with [redacted] with a group of klansmen possibly to include [redacted] in addition to [redacted] and FRANKHOUSER. [redacted] ~~later after~~ ~~xxxxxx~~FRANKHOUSER~~xxx~~ [redacted] and [redacted].

On 7/22/68, [] advised writer that he left FRANKHOUSER at [] on 7/13/68, and returned to Reading. He stated he does not know the names of the individuals going to captioned rally. He noted that the only person he saw at [] was [] and assumes [] drove FRANKHOUSER to the rally, however [] had left [] before anyone left for the rally. He does not know what type of car FRANKHOUSER might have traveled to the rally in.

Inasmuch as there is no further investigation to be conducted in ~~this~~ this case in Philadelphia Division this case is closed.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-107261)

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-447)

SUBJECT: MINUTEMEN
SM - Minutemen

On 8/9/68, [redacted]
[redacted], Pa., who was being considered for development
as a RI - Prob, advised as follows:

He visited ROY FRANKHOUSER, self-admitted head
of the Minutemen in Reading, Pa., on the evening of 8/6/68.
Present at FRANKHOUSER's home was a white male, age 26,
using the aliases [redacted] and [redacted].
[redacted] represented himself as a member of the Minutemen in
Norborne, Mo., and a Lieut. ROBERT DE PUGH.

[redacted] knew that FRANKHOUSER had invited a highly
placed Minuteman to come to Reading, Pa., to help him
reorganize and finance the Minutemen Chapter in Reading,
Pa.

[redacted] stated that in conversation with [redacted],
who strongly resembles and speaks like JAMES STEWART, the
movie actor, he obtained the following background material:

- 3 - Bureau (62-107261)
- 2 - Kansas City
- 6 - Philadelphia

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(1 - 105-4158 - Roy Frankhouser)

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[] attended the University of Missouri, the University of Texas, and the University of Nebraska for a total of four years. It was not known whether he was graduated from any of these universities. He was reportedly engaged in production and direction of radio and television broadcasting. He is an accomplished photographer and processes his own film. He was a photographer and reporter for [] and the [], locations unknown to []. [] was allegedly [] of the OEO (Office of Economic Operations) in the Mid West. He also attended the Missouri Auction College for six months taking public speaking and voice control. [] allegedly is a member of the Patriotic Party; Ultra Republican; member of the Minutemen Organization of Norborne, Mo.; and a member of the National Organization of Student Patriots, and other wing organizations.

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[] spent three years infiltrating into left wing [] and the OEO centers. He was reportedly instructed in the closing of all OEO operations in vocational training. [] produced Minox recordings of Negroes in Nebraska after he wing the misuse of thousands of dollars.

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[] was allegedly arrested by OEO and the FBI for the possession of government records, but was finally exonerated and released. He subsequently reported the OEO situation to the [] office of CBS News.

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[] allegedly was an instructor for three years in guerilla training camps in California, Florida and Ontario, Canada.

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He allegedly received an honorable discharge from the U.S. Army and is currently a member of the American Legion in Missouri.

[] said [] told him he saw ROBERT DE PUGH shortly before he traveled to Reading, Pa. He did not say where he saw DE PUGH, but [] assumed that it was somewhere in Missouri since [] is allegedly based in that state. [] mentioned that DE PUGH at the time he saw him was in good health and is well disguised and keeps on the move.

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[] further advised that FRANKHOUSER told him that [] attended a Reading Chapter Minuteman training session in the vicinity of Pottsville, Pa., of the weekend of 8/2-4/68. Neither DE PUGH nor PEYSON attended this training session. FRANKHOUSER reportedly stated that [] is staying in FRANKHOUSER's home and will remain in Reading, Pa., for possibly two weeks. [] allegedly worked with FRANKHOUSER for several months in 1967 allegedly on the west coast conducting Minutemen training sessions. [] never saw [] before and described him as a white male, age 26, tall, slender build, bearing a strong resemblance to JAMES STEWART, the movie actor.

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AT ST. LOUIS, MO.

Check office indices and logical sources to identify unsub, aka, [] and [] as described above.

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Will, if unsub identified, attempt to determine through informants if unsub traveled by plane on 8/3,4/68 and if so, determine his point of origin and destination.

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Maintain contact with []
[], Pa.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA., APRIL 13, 1968

Reference is made to FBI Memorandum dated May 15, 1968, at Philadelphia, Pa.

The following article appeared in the "Reading Eagle," a daily Reading, Pa., newspaper, on July 24, 1968:

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Judge Sees Specter In Klan Case

The question of whether the city's arrest of nine Ku Klux Klansmen for allegedly inciting to riot last April 13 was an infringement on every American's right to demonstrate arose this morning during argument on the defendants' petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

President Judge Warren K. Hess cautioned Asst. City Solicitor Peter F. Cianci that his position taken in the case could very well "become a noose around the neck of the principles" for which the American Civil Liberties Union stands.

Cianci, arguing as a "friend of the court," had been instructed to outline his position on the charges after the record of the petition was closed without taking additional testimony.

Introduced for the record were the notes of testimony taken at the alderman's hearing earlier, 17 black and white photographs taken on April 13 and an additional five color photos taken at the same time and some photo-copies of material the Klansmen were said to have been distributing before and about the time of their arrest.

No New Material

Neither Dist. Atty. Robert L. VanHoove, Cianci nor Frederick Edenharter and Joseph E. DeSantis, counsel for the Klansmen, had any additional material to present for the record.

Edenharter represents Roy E. Frankhouser, Grand Dragon of the Pennsylvania Klan, of Reading; Richard F. Grim of Allentown; Barry B. Ignatovic, Albert and Robert Rowe, of Philadelphia; Alexander M. Fasy III, Chester; and Michael G. Railey of Dover, Del. DeSantis is counsel for Charles Knowles, Butler

street, and David Kraig, 100 block of Buttonwood street.

Before the record was closed, VanHoove told the court his original position that there was insufficient evidence for a conviction still stood. He had joined with Edenharter and DeSantis at the alderman's hearing in a motion to dismiss.

Alderman Mahlon E. Shapiro, however, deferred action on the motion and held the case under advisement for some time before returning the case to the grand jury for action. The habeas corpus petition was filed later.

VanHoove also objected to Cianci's entering the case as an intervenor and Cianci agreed to change his role to that of friend of the court.

Judge Hess pointed out that when the district attorney objects, private counsel has no standing in a criminal case.

Decline Argument

DeSantis and Edenharter told the court they would rather not argue the case at this time, but would like to submit briefs of argument later. Cianci said he already had prepared a brief and given copies to the other attorneys in the case.

VanHoove, however, said he would rather not prepare a brief because by maintaining his position taken at the hearing he found himself "in the unhappy position of arguing against the commonwealth."

The judge then instructed Cianci to outline his position in the case and said he would allow counsel to argue the various points raised by Cianci in the city's position.

Cianci said he based his position on the grounds the matter was a factual one rather than a legal matter. He said that actions under certain circumstances are legal can be illegal under extraordinary circumstances.

Sees Burden

"If you're right," Judge Hess said, "you could cast a burden on the demonstrator" to demonstrate and "effect freedom of speech."

Cianci outlined what he called the facts of the case, the incidents he said occurred on Saturday, April 13, around noon. He said Frankhouser and the others paraded on sidewalks in Reading dressed in the Klan uniforms.

Judge Hess asked if that in itself was illegal.

Cianci said it did not break any law. The judge added that the nine men had a right to demonstrate.

"As much as we may disagree with what they stand for, they do have their rights," he said.

Cianci then said the nine plucked out literature that was "derogatory of Afro-Americans."

Judge Hess pointed out that he had attended political meetings at which statements made were seldom complimentary to the opposition.

He then read one of the cards on which was printed wording similar to: "Many people are for integration until they are re-

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Reading, Pa.

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Author

Editor: Walter S. Dill

Title: HOODED KU LUX KLAN
DEMONSTRATION, READING, PA
4/13/68

Character: RM

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requested to do something about it." He said he had heard ministers say the same thing from the pulpit.

The judge then asked Cianci if he thought the cards themselves were improper and how they helped his case.

Cianci replied that they were not improper by themselves, but had to be "taken in totality" with other events of the day, the general atmosphere of the community at the time and the tensions created.

The assistant city solicitor then said the nine Klansmen went to 133 S. 4th St., where they entered two cars and then drove north on Wood street. At Wood and Franklin, Cianci said, "two black young men" were crossing the street at the time. He said a city physician saw them and the men in the cars and took the two Negroes by their ears "to place them under restraint."

Picked Up Brick

Cianci said one of the Klansmen yelled the word, "nigger," from the car and one of the Negroes picked up half a brick and threw it at the car.

Judge Hess asked: "Who was the aggressor?"

He added that using Cianci's philosophy, everyone who participated in the Penn street demonstrations after the memorial services for the Rev. Martin Luther King could be prosecuted for inciting to riot.

The judge pointed out that various other actions if the particular defendant could be identified, might make him liable to charges of assault. He added that the defendants had a right to parade in their uniforms.

Cianci then continued his narrative of the "facts," ending with the arrest of the nine defendants.

Later in the hearing defense counsel disputed certain areas of the "facts."

Judge Hess pointed out to Cianci that state police found no reason to restrain the Klansmen. Cianci replied that the state police did, however, keep them under surveillance during their trip out of Reading and back.

Judge Hess, during Cianci's outlining of his position, pointed out the American Civil Liberties Union would have a great interest in this case. He said that Cianci was asking him "to go beyond any decided case" on similar issues "that I know of."

"You're after me to interpret all the facts of the case contrary to freedom of speech," Judge Hess said.

When the hearing ended about 11:30 a.m. Judge Hess took the case under advisement pending the filing of briefs. He will rule on the petition later.

Throughout the hearing Frankhouser and the other eight defendants were in the sheriff's custody in another courtroom.

HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA., APRIL 13, 1968

The following article appeared in the "Reading Times,"
a daily Reading, Pa., newspaper, on July 25, 1968:

Judge reserves decision in Klan case

freedom of speech, or the right to demonstrate publicly, at the heart of an appeal by nine Ku Klux Klan (KK) members, a Berks County judge said Wednesday. Although reserving his decision in the case involving Pennsylvania KKK leader Roy Frankhouser Jr., and others, Assistant Judge Warren K. Hess said flatly that the case could be passed upon by an appellate court, if he finds in favor of the Klansmen.

HIS STATEMENT was made at the end of more than one hour of argument on the KKK members' appeal from a charge of inciting to riot filed against them by the city last April. Most of Wednesday's argument was presented by First Asst. City Solicitor Peter F. Cianci, who was permitted to take part in the proceedings as a "friend of the court."

In calling for oral argument, which permits the judge to exchange questions and answers with the lawyers involved, Judge Hess said the case "may cast a real burden on anyone who wants to demonstrate when it involves freedom of speech."

THE JURIST added, "I would like the city to state its position, particularly in view of the fact that" Dist. Atty. Robert L. Van Hoove "has stated all along that he felt there was not sufficient evidence" of inciting to riot in order to warrant prosecution.

Van Hoove took that position at a preliminary hearing for the defendants April 24 before Alderman Mahlon E. Shapiro and reaffirmed it Wednesday. The district attorney said he declined to submit argument in the case because he "would be in the unhappy position of

arguing against the commonwealth." He said his position was influenced strongly by the fact that he could find no cases of persons convicted of inciting to riot "except those in which there actually were riots—serious disturbances."

HE ADDED, "The conduct of these men was rather opprobrious, in my opinion. But the freedom of speech and expression cannot be allowed to degenerate into one standard for one group, and another standard for a second group... It must be shown that this noble experiment we call democracy works."

Charged, along with Frankhouser, of 4th Street near Franklin, were: Charles D. Knowles, Butler Street near Buttonwood; David N. Kraig, Buttonwood Street near Madison; Richard F. Grim, Allentown.

Barry B. Ignatovig, Albert Rowe and Robert W. Rowe, all of Philadelphia; Alexander M. Fasy III, Chester, and Michael G. Rainey, Dover, Del.

Cianci began his presentation with a review of facts of the case as brought out in testimony

at the hearing before Shapiro. A transcript of that hearing, and pictures and allegedly racially defaming literature presented at the hearing, are available to the court in reaching its decision.

CIANCI NOTED the KKK members had "paraded on the sidewalks in center city" about noon April 13 while dressed in their organization's robes, then got into two cars. Incidents in which a racial epithet was shouted, a rock thrown into one of the cars, and a heated accusation made against the KKK members of one car by a white YMCA official involved in the detached worker program were reviewed.

The lawyer contended that, although the KKK members had a right to parade, their decision to do so at a time when "there was an unusual amount of racial tension because of the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King... casts doubt on their activities." Dr. King had been assassinated April 4.

Judge Hess suggested to Cianci that facts of the case left doubt about "who the aggressor was."

The jurist referred to demonstrations on Penn Street about the same time, and told Cianci, "According to your theory, everyone who participated in that could be charged with inciting to riot."

THE JURIST noted there was unquestionably a race-defaming reference in one word contained on a card allegedly distributed by KKK members, but that "the literature, itself, did not make out the case. Cianci agreed the

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Reading Times
Reading, Pa.

Date: 7/25/68

Edition: Morning Paper

Author:

Editor: Gordon

Williams

Title: HOODED KU KLUX
KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA. 4/13/68

Character: RM

or

Classification:

157-2559

Submitting Office: PH

literature should be considered only "in the totality" of the incidents.

Judge Hess said, "Parading in Ku Klux Klan uniforms is not a violation, no matter how we may disagree with what they stand for. . . They represent an extreme rightist attitude toward the problems of this nation. But the same law that applies to others must apply to them."

The judge stated that the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) "should have intervened" in the case to state its position. He said, "This case may make law, and it may put them right behind the eight ball."

"THE LAW made here may put a nose right around their beliefs."

He said to Cianci, "If I follow your theory to its logical conclusion, we will make new law. You would have me interpret all the facts of this case contra to freedom of speech."

Judge Hess said there may be

some parallel between the case and "attempts to outlaw the Communist Party. . . Maybe we would like to outlaw the Ku Klux Klan, but they have rights, too."

Frederick Edenharter, counsel for seven of the defendants, insisted that Cianci was "taking the position that every decision of the Supreme Court that was fought" by minority groups "is to be cast aside."

HE ASSERTED, "The very principles on which we rely for our freedom are now being torn away and subverted by the position of the city. . . The city says don't pay any attention to the rights of speech."

Edenharter supported Van Hoove's suggestion that inflammatory remarks were made to KKK members during the incidents and these created doubt as to who was breaking the law.

Joseph E. DeSantis, attorney for two defendants, spoke briefly to assert that "these people have the right to express their views, no matter how unpopular they are."

JUDGE HESS said he agreed, and added, "I don't see how labor could have got where it is today without this kind of freedom."

He added that he could not "understand why labor, or civil rights groups haven't intervened in this. . . This decision could be so important to them."

He offered to receive a brief of argument from such a group within one week, provided the parties involved did not object.

HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA., APRIL 13, 1968

Attached is a characterization of the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (United Klans).

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-2559) (P)

SUBJECT: HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA., 4/13/68
RM

DATE:

AUG 12 1968

Re Philadelphia letter to Bureau dated 5/15/68 and Philadelphia letter to New York dated 6/20/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies of a self-explanatory LHM suitable for dissemination.

A copy of enclosed LHM has been furnished to NISO, MI, ONI, and Secret Service locally.

The attached LHM is being classified ~~confidential~~ because of informants utilized in the characterization of the United Klans of America, Inc.

Information contained in enclosed LHM was obtained by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 8) (RM)
- 16 - Philadelphia
- 2 - 157-2559
 - 1 - 157-1214 (POSSIBLE RACIAL VIOLENCE)
 - 1 - 157-341 (UKA, INC., KKKK)
 - 1 - 157-1646 (UKA, PA.)
 - 1 - 105-4158 (ROY E. FRANKHOUSER)
 - 1 - 157-1881 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-1778 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-765 [redacted]
 - 1 - [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-2192 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-2133 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-2134 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-2600 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-2599 [redacted]
 - 1 - 157-1798 [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (157-8589)

DATE: AUG 14 1968

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (100-49673)

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATIONS AT THE NATIONAL
DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION, AUGUST 1968
INFORMATION CONCERNING - IS
(OO:Chicago)

Re Bureau airtel dated 7/22/68.

Enclosed for the Chicago Office are photographs and brief descriptions of the backgrounds of individuals who, because of their background and past activities, could logically be expected to appear in Chicago and engage in disruptive activities during the Convention. It should be noted, however, that a canvass of racial and Black Nationalist informants in Philadelphia has developed no information that these individuals are contemplating attendance at the Convention. In addition, the city of Philadelphia is the site of the Third National Black Power Conference to be held 8/29 - 9/1/68.

Following are the individuals on whom the information is being submitted:

- 2 - Bureau (157-8589) (RM)
- 2 - Chicago (Enc. 7) (RM)
- ② - Philadelphia
 - 2 - 100-49673
 - 1 - 100-47093
 - ① - 105-4158 (ROY E. FRANKHOUSER)
 - 1 - 105-11840
 - 1 - 157-1933
 - 1 - 100-46957
 - 1 - 100-48776
 - 1 - 157-1555

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3. STANLEY E. BRANCHE
4. WALTER D. PALMER
5. CECIL B. MOORE

KLAN AND HATE GROUPS

1. ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR.
2. RICHARD J. SINGLETON

TO
FROM
SUBJECT

SAC, NEWARK (157-1892) DATE 8/15/68
SA [REDACTED]
UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.
RM (KLAN)

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8/5/68

Date(s) of activity

7/27/68

Brief description of activity or material

Report of meeting of UKA Unit 14,

Bridgeton, NJ.

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Remarks:

3 - Philadelphia (RM) ✓ plus.
(1 - 157-ROY FRANKHOUSER)
(1 - 157-1982) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157- [REDACTED])

9 - Newark

(1 - 157-2474) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157-2022) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157-2014) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157-2264) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157-2095) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157-2475) [REDACTED]
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A bi-monthly meeting of Unit 14, UKA, Bridgeton, was held on Saturday evening, 7/27/68, at the home of [redacted], Bridgeton, NJ. The meeting was attended as follows:

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[redacted], Pleasantville, NJ
[redacted], Philadelphia, Pa.
[redacted], Millville, NJ.

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The meeting was conducted by [redacted], and the first order of business was a report by [redacted] concerning a visit he had received from the FBI on 7/24/68. He claimed the interview lasted for about 20 minutes and other than admitting that he was a member of the UKA, he told them nothing. [redacted] was very shaken up by this visit from the FBI and advocated breaking up Unit 14. He felt all the members of Unit 14 should join other units or go underground. The members present that evening talked [redacted] out of this idea and assured him that all the FBI knows is what he told them since they were obviously fishing for information.

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[redacted] also reported that [redacted] of the Philadelphia Unit, UKA, and ROY FRANKHOUSER, State Representative of the UKA of Pa., recently appeared in court in Reading on charges for the demonstration held on Easter Saturday, 1968, but he was aware of no details. He remarked that while in Reading [redacted], in company of FRANKHOUSER, met up with some of the members of the AMERICAN NAZI PARTY (ANP) and had a few beers with them. According to [redacted], a fight started as a result of the ANP members giving FRANKHOUSER a bad time. [redacted], who took sides with FRANKHOUSER, was hit over the head with a fire extinguisher and received a split lip, skull and black eye. As a result of the fight, [redacted] and FRANKHOUSER are not on speaking terms.

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[redacted] was instructed by [redacted] to write to the Imperial Wizard and find out what the status of [redacted] is at the present time since Unit 14 has not heard from [redacted] in over six weeks. [redacted] reported that the telephone which is used by [redacted] for Klan business has been disconnected. [redacted] was also instructed to inform the

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Imperial Wizard that Unit 14 has not had a visit from the Titan, MELVIN OSBORNE, since January, 1968.

Unit 14 did not prepare the July, 1968 Financial Report and does not intend to submit this report or any future reports until hearing from the Imperial Wizard.

FBI Field Office Wanted-Flash-Cancellation Notice
FD-165 (Rev. 1-25-65)

Attention: Identification Division

Date 8/19/68

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (97-4262)

RE: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER
RM

FROM: SAC, Philadelphia (105-4158)

☒ Place, ☐ Cancel, stop (wanted or flash) in files of Identification Division.

If expiration date known, enter here _____ and cancellation will be automatic.

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☐ Wanted for _____

FLASH

☒ Security Index ☐ Reserve Index (Section A) ☐ Security Informant ☐ Criminal Informant
☐ Application for Pardon After Completion of Sentence ☐ _____

CANCELLATION

☐ Cancel because _____

Furnish: ☒ Photograph

☒ Identification Record

Name ROY E. FRANKHOUSER		Aliases FRED IRISMAN ROYSON EVERETT FRANKHOUSER, JR.	
FBI No. 45912D	Other No.		

In all instances when FBI number is known it should be furnished. When it is not known, furnish following:

Date of birth 4/11/39	Place of birth Reading, Pa.	Occupation Unemployed	Marital Status Single		
Residence 133 S. 4th St., Reading, Pa.		Race W	Sex M	Height 5' 7"	Nationality American
Fingerprint class		Weight 149	Eyes Brown	Hair Brown	Complexion Fair
Scars, marks and peculiarities Blind in left eye; Considered Mentally Unstable Searched _____ Serialized <u>ML</u> Indexed _____					

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1-PHILA. (105-4158)

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SAC, PHILADELPHIA

Notified if Information Received

READ INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK OF THIS FORM

105-4158-1867

TO: SAC, NEW YORK (105-6112)
FROM: SA [REDACTED] (46)
SUBJECT: NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

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* INDIVIDUALS DESIGNATED BY AN ASTERISK (*) ONLY ATTENDED A MEETING AND DID NOT ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE. VIOLENCE OR REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES WERE NOT DISCUSSED.

Re Philadelphia letter to New York dated 6/20/68, captioned
:HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION, READING, PA., 4/13/68."

The photograph exhibited to [REDACTED] bore the name [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and the number PH 157-2559 on the reverse side. The photo-
graph exhibited to [REDACTED] is being returned as an enclosure
to copy designated for Philadelphia file on [REDACTED].

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(1 - 157-2559) (HOODED KKK DEMONSTRATION, READING, PA, 4/13/68)

(1 - 105-4158) (ROY FRANKHOUSER)

(1 - 157 [REDACTED])

(1 - 157-447) (MINUTEMEN)

(1 - 157-341) (UKA, KKK)

(1 - 157-1646) (UKA, PA.)

3 - New York

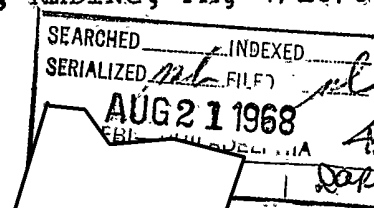
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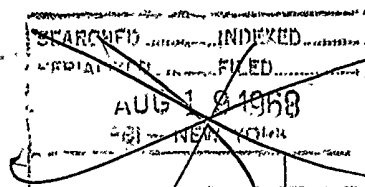
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On August 1, 1968, a photograph was viewed of a white male. The individual in the photograph is identical with the individual who was in the company of ROY FRANKHOUSER on 4/20/68, at White Party of America Headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (157-447)

FROM : SA THOMAS F. HANNIGAN

SUBJECT: MINUTEMEN
SM - MM

DATE: 8/16/68

Re Philadelphia airtel to Bureau and Kansas City dated 8/10/68 captioned as above.

Referenced Philadelphia airtel reported information furnished by [] to writer 8/9/68.

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On 8/6/68 [] voluntarily appeared at the Allentown RA and advised SA THOMAS F. HANNIGAN as follows:

He said he was fed up with the Klan and the Minutemen chapters in Reading, Pa. He cited the recent physical attack by [] members of the Minutemen against ROY FRANKHOUSER and stated he wanted nothing further to do with the two organizations. [] also mentioned that he []

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[] and felt that both the Minutemen and the Klan expected him to donate [] to those organizations. He stated he did not intend to contribute anything.

[] again mentioned that aside from FRANKHOUSER he regarded the members of the Reading chapters of the Klan and the Minutemen as moronic.

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[] said he was willing to continue his activities in the Klan and Minutemen if he could be of any assistance to the FBI. He said he appreciated the agents previous treatment and courtesy when he was interviewed by the FBI on two prior occasions.

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1 - 157-341 (UKA, KKK)
1 - 105-4158 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
1 - 157-1555 []
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1 - 157-1214 (POSS. RACIAL VIOLENCE, MAJOR URBAN AREAS)

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1 - 157-1944 (KLAN WEAPONS)

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[] said he had no records of the Klan or Minutemen membership but believed he could obtain access to these records in the near future. He felt that it was quite possible that ROY FRANKHOUSER and [] may know the whereabouts of ROBERT DEPUGH and WAITER PEYSON. He said he would make every effort to obtain information concerning their whereabouts.

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[] readily admitted that he told FRANKHOUSER and [] about his previous interviews with the FBI but stated he did not tell them that he had furnished any information about the Klan and the Minutemen to the FBI. He said the Reading chapter of the Klan and Minutemen is partially financed by a group of individuals from the Lancaster, Pa., area, including [] who has a hunting cabin about 15 miles outside of Lancaster. [] was not certain of the other financial contributors to the organizations.

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The writer felt that [] may possibly be a plant. He was told the FBI would welcome any information he desired to furnish about the Klan and the Minutemen, however, no direction was given him. He was told that any information he furnished would be treated on a highly confidential basis.

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[] stated he intended to visit ROY FRANKHOUSER in Reading on the evening of 8/6/68 and if he obtained any worthwhile information he would report to the writer.

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Referenced Philadelphia airtel recommended a case be opened on [] RI (Prob).

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In addition to the information furnished by [] on 8/9/68 and set forth in referenced airtel he also furnished the following information:

FRANKHOUSER was anxious to establish a Klan and Minutemen book store on the first floor of his residence. He estimated that he received approximately 8,000 telephone calls weekly at his home as a result of Klan and Minutemen literature distributed carrying his name and phone number. He hopes to utilize these phone calls in publicizing the book store and in this way gain finances for the Klan and Minutemen. He also hopes to purchase a Volkswagen for transporting officials of the Klan and Minutemen on official business. He is also interested in purchasing a multilith machine and photographic equipment.

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[] said the individual known to him as [] whom he met for the first time on the evening of 8/6/68 at FRANKHOUSER's home was invited to come to Reading, Pa., by FRANKHOUSER to assist him in the above mentioned activity including the re-organization of the Minutemen.

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[] estimated that the Reading chapter of the Minutemen has approximately 24 members of whom about six are hard core members. He said that following an arising out of an incident in the vicinity of Reading about one month ago, at which Negroes damaged a drive-in theater, the Minutemen and Klan were able to recruit new members, most of whom are the motorcycle gang type. [] did not know their names.

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[] was of the opinion that [] and [] know where the caches of Reading Klan and Minutemen weapons are stored. [] is reportedly unusually security conscious. [] said the Minutemen held a training session in the Pottsville area over the weekend 8/2, 3, & 4/68. [] did not attend. He learned from FRANKHOUSER that approximately 12 were in attendance including [], FRANKHOUSER, and []. Neither DEPUGH nor PEYSON were there. [] did not know the others in attendance.

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[] said that FRANKHOUSER is the liaison man among the Klan, Minutemen, American Nazi Party, and National States Rights Party. He said that about last November or December 1967 FRANKHOUSER held a meeting at his home. DEPUGH and another unrecalled top official of the Minutemen; MAT KOEHL, Head of the American Nazi Party; and an unrecalled official from the Klan, not SHELTON, attended this meeting. [] said that for all intents and purposes the membership in the Klan is duplicated by the membership in the Minutemen.

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[] stated the Reading Klan contemplates a cross burning and rally somewhere not too distant from Reading, Pa. No specific time or place has been selected. The Klan has several places in mind but needs about \$100 to lease the ground for the rally.

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[] said he has met DEPUGH several times, the last time was at Minutemen's training session held on []'s property in the vicinity of Minersville, Pa., in early August 1967. He first met WALTER PEYSON at the same training center. He has not seen them since that time nor does he know their whereabouts.

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[] said that following the arrest of the nine Klansmen [] by the Reading PD, 4/13/68, the incident was publicized in an Allentown newspaper. [] received a letter from [] (not []), [] Hokendauqua, Pa. [] wrote she believed in the objectives of the Klan and was interested in helping in any way she could. She also mentioned a girl friend named [] (LNU) who was also interested in helping the Klan. [] stated he turned the letter over to FRANKHOUSER who allegedly contacted [] by phone and made arrangements for the two girls to meet with him in Reading, Pa. [] said that he also met the two girls on one occasion several months ago at [] and [] Reading, Pa., to meet with FRANKHOUSER. He stated that [] is a white female, approximately 19 years old, intelligent, good looking and is or was employed in the Mens Department at [] Allentown.

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[] is a white female, about 18 years of age, lives in the general vicinity of [] and either currently or formerly worked in the Beauty Aids Department of [], Allentown.

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[] said he is not certain but does not believe that FRANKHOUSER uses []'s residence as a mail drop for the Klan and/or Minutemen. He said both girls travel to FRANKHOUSER's in Reading about twice monthly to assist in filing and typing.

[] said there are no Klan or Minutemen members in the Allentown, Pa., area to his knowledge except the above mentioned two girls.

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[] said that [] believes in the Klan and Minutemen philosophies but he is not active in any way with these organizations or the American Nazi Party.

INDEX: ROBERT B. DEPUGH



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (105-4158)

DATE: August 20, 1968

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER
RM - ORGANIZATION

On 8-20-68 Sgt. [REDACTED], PSD, Reading Barracks, advised the writer ROY E. FRANKHOUSER had contacted him ~~advised~~ advising [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] watchdog had been killed and an autopsy disclosed the animal had been given a large dose of cyanide poison.

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Sgt. [REDACTED] stated FRANKHOUSER expressed a fear for his own personal safety, indicating he felt the poison had been administered by a group of renegade former Klansmen from the New York City area, who have attempted to injure him in the past.

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FRANKHOUSER insinuated to Sgt. [REDACTED] the reported accidental shooting of [REDACTED] several months ago was no accident as it had been reported. He did not definitely state who shot [REDACTED] but indicated one of the New York outcasts had deliberately shot him.

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Abbrev for information re FRANKHOUSER and [REDACTED].

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Minutemen training session Schuylkill

County, Pennsylvania; Information re

ROBERT DE PUGH. 157-2546* plus

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Remarks:

News references

Three copies of printed two-page instruction on explosives
and three copies of flyer of the National Organization
Student Patriots, Marvville, Missouri, containing photo of
[redacted], are being designated
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Copies
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② Kansas City RM
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copy 157-447

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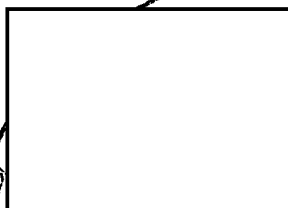
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Street, Maryland

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[redacted] said he had been requested by ROY FRANKHOUSER on 8/2/68 to attend a meeting in Pennsylvania over the weekend where he would meet some important people. [redacted] arrived at FRANKHOUSER's residence, Reading, Pennsylvania, about 4:30 A.M., 8/3/68. About 5:30 A.M., an individual identified to [redacted] as [redacted] arrived at FRANKHOUSER's residence. The group left FRANKHOUSER's residence and met another individual named [redacted] at a food market. Then the entire group, consisting of four automobiles, left Reading. They travelled on Route 61 through Pottsville and after about an hour's ride they arrived at what had been a strip mine area at one time. One of the cars in the group, a 1957 or 1958 [redacted], Pennsylvania License [redacted], belonged to [redacted]. Another car, a [redacted] [redacted] with Maryland License [redacted] was operated by [redacted]. This car was also occupied by [redacted]. A truck and motorcycle were already at the mine site when the group arrived. The mine site is about 15 miles from where a training session was held during the prior year.

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The following individuals attended the training session:

[redacted] who was leader of the group;
[redacted], Laureldale, Pennsylvania, 19605. This individual is described as about [redacted] years old, 175-180 pounds, brownish hair, [redacted], blue eyes, medium to light complexion;

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ROY FRANKHOUSER;

An individual referred to as "[redacted]" described as [redacted] years old, 6' 1" to 2", 265 pounds, light complexion;

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An unidentified individual in his 20's, dark hair, dark complexion, who looked like a Puerto Rican;

An unidentified individual in his 20's, blonde hair, light complexion;

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an unidentified individual described as being 28 to 30 years who had a crippled leg;

two unidentified individuals in their 50's in a car bearing New Jersey license plates;

an individual named Mr. [REDACTED] described as 51 to 52 years, 5' 9", 160 pounds, gray hair, long scar across forehead. [REDACTED] is an assumed name which this individual uses where he works at some adjusting company with telephone number [REDACTED];

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[REDACTED] gave [REDACTED] a printed flyer of the National Organization Student Patriots, Maryville, Missouri which contained a photograph of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] for this organization.

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The training program lasted all day Saturday until midnight Saturday night and started again around 6 A.M., Sunday morning. The program ended around noon Sunday due to a rainstorm. During the training exercises, those present engaged in guard duty using walkie-talkies, firing rifles and were instructed in the technique of making explosives and in making and using Molotov Cocktails. There was also instruction on survival. [REDACTED] secured a two-page typed instruction on the manufacture of various types of explosives including gun powders, mercury fulminate and TNT. [REDACTED] was the expert on explosives.

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[REDACTED] reported on the use of a commercial product consisting of two liquids, which when mixed forms a solid styrofoam material in which weapons could be encased so that they could be buried or hidden for indefinite periods of time.

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The Puerto Rican-looking individual and the blonde haired individual and the individual referred to as "[REDACTED]" are reportedly gang leaders in the Reading area and have been in trouble with the police in the past. The Puerto Rican and the blonde were the ones who brought [REDACTED] to FRANKHOUSER's residence.

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Those attending the session had identification membership cards identifying them as members of the Flying Dutchmen Rod and Gun Club of Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania which were signed [redacted].

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Mr. [redacted] had a small bottle of an African pepper spray in which he claimed could be obtained at Pep Boys. The bottle bore the name "Protect."

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During the session, [redacted] told those present that BOB DE PUGH had told him this was the last place he, [redacted], was to meet this year for training under guerrilla war tactics.

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[redacted] said he overheard [redacted] tell FRANKHOUSER that he had talked to BOB DE PUGH just a few minutes before he boarded the plane in Los Angeles.

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FRANKHOUSER indicated that he would like [redacted] to stay around the Reading area and mentioned something about the possibility of [redacted] getting a job in the newspaper office. [redacted] said [redacted] told him that he would like to help ROY but that he had other commitments.

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Open Letter from the Student
National Director

The cause of freedom and justice is a cause that should not go unheeded. We at the National Headquarters feel that time is most important and that the hour for freedom is here.

To do the most good for the nation and her youth on the college campus we need support to continue our work. At National Headquarters we have a lack of funds to buy needed files and office equipment and supplies. We have to print the bulk of our material and will need later a mimeograph or an offset press. Will YOU support N.O.S.P.?

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Maryville, Mo.
March, 1968

Dear Fellow American,

Thanks for the inquiry as to what N.O.S.P. is. Let me say to you that it is the hopes and wishes of a free nation's people that comprise our members. N.O.S.P. is a unique and new concept of fighting academically Communist brainwashing of our schools and colleges.

To do this freedom must ring its Liberty Bell loud enough to those who sneak by night and days deceitment to undermine our nation, as it has been undermined the last few years. Any student of any college in the land can see where this land of freedom is heading for if her people don't arise to the cause! Revolution and anarchy in the streets, the same academically on the campus scene.

What must we do? Where must we go? How must we respond? If you sincerely believe as I and the organization's members believe, then read the literature and join N.O.S.P. to undertake the goal ahead: Securing freedom for all men.

Sincerely,

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N.O.S.P. originated with three students from N.W.M.S. who wanted to do something to bring about a better image for college students across the country. The three saw the communist "fronts" that were deceiving college students into believing that this country was really worthless and that they should burn the flag of their birthright and degrade the heritage of patriots. We as Americans and future leaders of tomorrow must get the word out to those who are being deceived that a master plan exists in this nation, conceived by revolutionists thousands of miles away to take our freedom away from us by warping the minds of the college students today. Look around you and you'll see thousands of students in this "don't care" mood throughout the country.

Hippies and LSD'ers from California to New York, civil violence in the larger cities due to communist ceaseless unrest to stir and part the races in this country. Rioting has reached such mass proportions that possibly martial law could be declared in this nation this summer.

N.O.S.P. wants to be considered as those youth of this country who are taking a positive stand for the cause of free men.

As we all know, "Freedom Is Not Free!" We are learning this cruel fact in Viet Nam as well as other places throughout the world.

Help us here at the National Headquarters to get Americans back on the road to sanity once again. Let us bring God and country back to life! Let us revive patriotism! Let us revive the sacred documents of our heritage!

Above all else, let us not be assassins to our freedoms and birthright.

We need your help desperately for our cause is just and great.

Pray for, support, and give to freedom's need!

The purpose of the National Organization Student Patriots is to develop chapters on major college campuses across the country from Maine to California to bring back on the American scene a desperate awakening to what Freedom as a responsible American means.

Responsible use of the basic concepts of democracy as defined in the historic birth certificate of America. N.O.S.P. as it is called intends to use the future leaders of tomorrow today, to let them guide the leaders of America on to the safe path of Freedom instead of a hidden, deceit ridden path of COMMUNISM or ANARCHY!

National Headquarters and the Student National Coordinator will be open to questions and advice to any responsible person who wants to voice it. We want new advice and ideas to better promote freedom. We want nothing for our services, but the cooperation and support of those Americans who see an urgent need for such a national program as N.O.S.P.

We will NOT tolerate violence, racism, or any unlawful avenue of approach to our problem but instead will use the rights our forefathers gave us when the birth was completed of this nation.

Our funds and equipment are limited and we need a new mimeograph plus paper and files to begin the road to GOD and COUNTRY.

Write to: N.O.S.P., Box 92, Maryville, Missouri.

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"OUR PLEDGE"

To my country, one of freedom and liberty, for all men to get the just rewards of his efforts, a land called America, home of the brave, land of the free, where patriots of valor gave their all for us the living today. We pledge ourselves to those who stand as silent sentinels to freedom's door. We stand as the living brothers of a cause just, right and in God we trust, 'til tomorrow finds freedom safe from the assassins of our nation's way. Freedom! We pledge them our all!

Yes, I feel also that there is a need. I want to help by enclosing \$_____ to help further the work and efforts of N.O.S.P. to expose the Communists and Assassins of our freedoms.

I would like to donate a few office equipment pieces also (items) _____

Membership \$2.00 a year and you will receive the latest information of chapters.
I WOULD LIKE TO JOIN NATIONAL ORGANIZATION STUDENT PATRIOTS

Name _____ Age _____ Phone _____

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If college student, list college _____ Year in college _____

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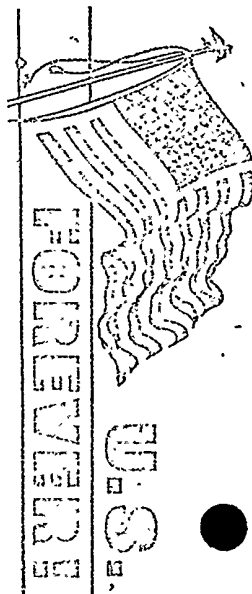
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LET IT REMAIN FREE!

Students and citizens dedicated through a constructive organization to revive Patriotism and Americanism wherever there is a need to do so.

To put before the American people the TRUTH of those who would take away our country and our freedom by any action which is other than patriotic.

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Explosives

The use of explosives by the Guerrilla band is an elementary but very important part of warfare. In times when ordinary explosives like dynamite or blasting powder are not available the guerrilla will have to rely on his own resources to compensate for these materials. Raids on such places as drug stores, chemical laboratories, chemical companies or supply houses, photo development companies, etc., will turn up from their store rooms and shelves, many chemicals which can be used in simple explosives.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
August 21, 1968

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On August 19, 1968, Lt. [redacted], Reading, Pa., Police Department, advised [redacted] Far Rockaway, New York, was arrested on August 17, 1968, by Reading Police Department, and charged with assault, aggravated assault and battery, and assault with intent to kill. [redacted] was committed to Berks County Prison, Reading, Pa., in lieu of \$10,000 bail.

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[redacted] was arrested following the shooting of [redacted] [redacted], also of Far Rockaway, New York, around midnight, August 16, 1968, in the apartment of Mrs. [redacted] [redacted], Reading, Pa. [redacted] was taken to Community General Hospital, Reading, Pa., with a bullet wound in the stomach. Lt. [redacted] stated [redacted]'s condition is listed as critical.

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Lt. [redacted] stated their investigation disclosed that apparently [redacted] and [redacted] got into an argument over some Ku Klux Klan robes and [redacted] shot [redacted]. Lt. [redacted] stated a search of the apartment at [redacted] disclosed several cardboard boxes containing clothes, a Ku Klux Klan robe, Ku Klux Klan literature (sample attached), a rifle bolt, and a small amount of ammunition. The weapon used to shoot [redacted] was not recovered and it is believed to be .32 caliber. Lt. [redacted] stated Mrs. [redacted] advised him both [redacted] and [redacted] are members of the Ku Klux Klan in New York. Lt. [redacted] noted that following persons were with [redacted] when he was arrested:

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[redacted], Reading, Pa.

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[REDACTED],
Reading, Pa., was arrested by the Reading, Pa.,
Police Department on April 13, 1968, with eight
other persons after participating in a hooded
Ku Klux Klan march and motorcade in Reading
and charged with inciting to riot. The charges
were subsequently dismissed against the group.

The following article appeared in the Reading Times,
a daily Reading, Pa., newspaper on August 19, 1968:

Klan robes may figure in shooting

A 27-year-old New York man remained in Berks County Prison on Sunday night after he allegedly shot another man during an argument over some Ku Klux Klan robes.

George F. Roberts, 27, of Far Rockaway, New York, was jailed on charges of assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery and assault with intent to kill. His bail was set by Alderman Mahlon E. Shapiro at \$10,000.

THE SHOOTING VICTIM, James T. Farrell, 23, also of Far Rockaway, was in serious condition Sunday night in Community General Hospital with a bullet wound of the abdomen. Hospital personnel said his condition was improving.

Meanwhile, Roy E. Frankhouser Jr., of Reading, state Klan leader, emphatically denied Sunday night that either Roberts or Farrell had ever been a member of the Pennsylvania Klan.

Frankhouser, returning from a meeting in Richmond, Va., with United Klans of America officials, called the Times from Wilmington, Del.

FRANKHOUSER said an investigation was made by the Klan bureau of investigation to determine whether they belonged to the Pennsylvania organization.

J. D. Benton, executive press officer of the KKK of Pennsylvania, who identified himself as a native of Los Angeles, Calif., now living in Reading, was with Frankhouser.

He said that according to sketchy reports, Roberts and Farrell were members of a New York Klan but had been kicked out in the early 1960s for conduct unbecoming a Klan member.

"We have records to show they were never in the Pennsylvania Klan," Benton said. "They were in the part of the Klan that Dan Burros belonged to."

Burros, the New York state Klan leader, shot himself to death in Reading in 1965 after he was reported as being a Jew.

ACCORDING to Detective Elmer Bitting, Farrell was shot in the apartment of Mrs. Gloria Stubblebine, 212 Greenwich St., Friday about 11:30 p.m.

Bitting said Roberts and Farrell were apparently arguing in the apartment over some KKK uniforms when Roberts shot Farrell with what is believed to be a .32-caliber revolver.

Police had identified both as "apparent Klan members."

The robes reportedly may have belonged to Burros.

AT FIRST, Farrell said he had been shot by two unknown men near a bridge, but later Mrs. Stubblebine said the incident occurred in her apartment, police said.

This is the second KKK episode that Roberts had been involved in within the past month. On July 24, he was arrested with two Klan members on disorderly conduct charges following a reported fight in Frankhouser's S. 4th Street home. The charges were dismissed for lack of evidence.

Frankhouser Sunday stated that Roberts had not been involved in the July incident.

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Reading Times
Reading, Pa.

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The following article appeared in the Reading Eagle,
a daily Reading, Pa., newspaper on August 19, 1968:

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Victim of Shooting In Guarded Condition

The victim of a shooting in a Reading apartment late Friday night, apparently triggered by an argument between two friends over Ku Klux Klan robes, was reported in guarded condition this morning in Community General Hospital.

James T. Farrell, 23, of Far Rockaway, N.Y., was admitted to the hospital with a bullet wound of the stomach. He was reported slightly improved yesterday. The shooting occurred in the apartment of Mrs. Gloria Stubblebine, 18, at 212 Greenwich St.

Police accused Farrell's friend, George F. Roberts, 27, of Far Rockaway, with the shooting. He is being held in Berks County Prison in lieu of \$10,000 bail.

Roy F. Frankhouser Jr., leader of the KKK in Pennsylvania, said that Farrell and Roberts were never members of the state Klan and had been "kicked out of the New York State Klan"

early in the '60s "for conduct unbecoming a Klan member."

J. D. Benton, executive press officer for the KKK in Pennsylvania, said that Roberts and Farrell were part of the group with which Daniel Burros was affiliated. Burros committed suicide in Frankhouser's Reading apartment in 1965 after a New York Times reporter said Burros was Jewish.

Frankhouser denied that Roberts was arrested in Reading on July 24 with two other Klan members on charges of disorderly conduct. Police arrested Roberts and the other two after a fight reportedly occurred in Frankhouser's apartment. The charges were dismissed for lack of evidence.

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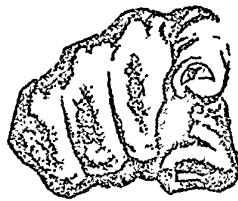
In an interview by FBI agents on March 4, 1968, ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR., 133 South 4th Street, Reading, Pa., advised he is presently Grand Dragon and Imperial Representative of the UKA, Inc., in the State of Pennsylvania.

A characterization of the UKA, INC., is attached.

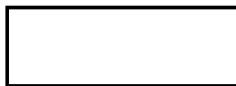
Lt. [REDACTED] advised on August 20, 1968, he talked with [REDACTED] this date and [REDACTED] stated he is a klansman from New York and is a member of the Klan group formerly headed by DAN BURROS. Lt. [REDACTED] noted that BURROS committed suicide in the home of ROY E. FRANKHOUSER several years ago.

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Stand Up!*



BE A MAN — JOIN THE KLAN



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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, Philadelphia (157-2930)(P)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]
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Re Philadelphia letter and LHM to Bureau dated 7/25/68, and captioned, "UKA, INC., KKKK, RM."

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies of a self-explanatory LHM, suitable for dissemination. Enclosed for New York are two copies of above mentioned LHM.

Information furnished in enclosed LHM was obtained by SA [REDACTED].

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MI, NISO, OSI, Secret Service, Philadelphia, and USA, EDPa., have been furnished with a copy of enclosed LHM locally.

Photos of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] will be forwarded to New York under separate cover.

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- 1 - 157-2599 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-4158 (ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR.)
- 1 - 157-341 (UKA, KKKK)
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- 2 - 157-new [REDACTED]

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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NEW YORK

AT FAR ROCKAWAY, N.Y.

1. Will identify [redacted]
[redacted] or [redacted], Queens, N.Y.
(see re let and LHM) and advise extent of involvement in
Klan and other hate-type groups in New York area.

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2. Will identify [redacted]
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other hate type groups in the New York area.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

AUG 23 1968

HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA., APRIL 13, 1968

The following article appeared on pages 17 and 22 of the Reading Times, a daily Reading, Pennsylvania, newspaper, on August 9, 1968, and refers to a decision in captioned case handed down by Berks County Judge WARREN K. HESS on August 8, 1968:

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Free speech right cited as Klan riot case folds

Ku Klux Klan (KKK) members who paraded in the city April 13, then became involved in a dispute that led to their arrest, were cleared of criminal charges Thursday by the Berks County Court.

Charges of inciting to riot, which had been brought against the nine Klansmen by city police, were dismissed in an opinion handed down by President Judge Warren K. Hess.

The Constitutional right to freedom of speech was the basis on which the jurist found that actions of the defendants, as shown by testimony in a preliminary hearing, did not constitute inciting to riot.

THE KLAN members had appealed to the court after being held for grand jury action by Alderman Mahlon E. Shapiro. They had been free on bail.

The defendants included Roy E. Frankhouser Jr. of Reading, head of the Pennsylvania KKK. The city, represented by First Asst. City Solicitor Peter F. Ciampi, had contended that the ac-

tions of the Klan members at a "racially tense" time in the city—nine days after the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King—were an attempt to start a riot.

THAT VIEW WAS opposed by Dist. Atty. Robert L. Van Hoove, who said that, while he found the KKK members' actions "reprehensible," could not find sufficient evidence to show inciting to riot.

Judge Hess, in his 11-page opinion, commended Van Hoove for his "fairness and frankness," and said that the district attorney was "acting in the highest tradition of a prosecuting attorney, which is that he seek justice and not victims."

The city's position, Judge Hess wrote, "might appeal to the rulers of a police state but are inconsistent with the free-

dom provisions of our constitution."

THE JURIST said he accepted Ciampi's recounting of the events involved in the testimony. These included parading by the Klan members in uniform downtown, handing out literature which included one "offensive" word, reference to Negroes, the verbal challenge of Klan members' actions by "a citizen," spitting by Klan members at the citizen, the throwing of a stone at one of the Klan member's cars, and the shouting of a racially offensive term by a Klan member.

Judge Hess said he condemns the use of the offensive word printed on cards that were handed out by the defendants, "but cannot ascribe to it the criminal intent that is required to make out this case."

He wrote that fear of controversial actions producing a disturbance is not "evidence of the intent . . . to create a violent disturbance . . ."

HE ADDED, "Were the law otherwise, a great number of good citizens who desire to further minority causes might run the risk of criminal charges of inciting, even though they merely seek to further their support of popular causes."

"If the facts in the record of this case establish probable cause for inciting to riot, we shudder to anticipate the length to which similar principles would be applicable to other groups of our fellow citizens."

"WOE UNTO THE supporters of one political party who parade into the stronghold of the opposition party, or perhaps, the labor group that demonstrates before people not in sympathy with the cause of labor, or the civil rights supporters who parade or express their sentiments in an area known to be ultra conservative."

In a footnote the jurist wrote, "Liberal sympathizers who, according to accounts in the public press, made a mockery out of 'freedom of speech' for George Wallace in Omaha, Nebraska, and other cities, might well rue the day the courts view the facts in the case before us as inciting to riot."

In concluding his opinion, Judge Hess quoted a statement on freedom of speech by U.S. Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglass:

"Accordingly a function of free speech under our system of government is to invite dispute. It may indeed best serve its high purpose when it induces a condition of unrest, creates dissatisfaction with conditions as they are, or even stirs people to anger."

"SPEECH IS OFTEN provocative and challenging. It may strike at prejudices and preconceptions, and have profound unsettling effects as it presses for acceptance of an idea."

"That is why freedom of speech, though not absolute . . . is nevertheless protected against censorship or punishment, unless shown likely to produce a clear and present danger of a serious substantive evil that rises far above public inconvenience, annoyance, or unrest."

The KKK members, in addition to Frankhouser, were: Charles D. Knowles, Butler Street near Buttonwood; David N. Kraig, Buttonwood Street near Madison; Richard F. Grim, Allentown.

Barry B. Ignatovic, Albert Rowe and Robert W. Rowe, all of Philadelphia; Alexander M. Fasy III, Chester, and Michael G. Kainey, Dover, Del.

Knowles and Kraig were represented by attorney Joseph E. DeSantis, and the others by attorney Frederick Edenharter. Both attorneys took the case at the request of the court.

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Reading Times
Reading, Pa.

Date: 8/9/68
Edition: Morning Paper
Author:
Editor: Gordon
Williams
Title: HOODED KU KLUX
KLAN DEMONSTRATION
READING, PA. 4/13/68

Character: RM
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Classification:
157-2559
Submitting Office: PH

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JUDGE HESS RULES

Inciting to Riot Charges Against Klansmen Crushed

Inciting to riot charges against nine Ku Klux Klansmen arrested in Reading last April were thrown out today by President Judge Warren K. Hess.

In an 11-page opinion handed down this morning, Judge Hess said that he was fully satisfied that the commonwealth did not establish "probable cause for the charge of inciting to riot" against the Klansmen.

Concerning the prosecution, brought by the City of Reading but opposed by Dist. Atty. Robert L. VanHoove, the jurist wrote that the principles which the city contended "might appeal to the rulers of a police state but are inconsistent with the freedom provisions of our Constitution."

Therefore, in his order in Berks County court, he granted the KKK petitioners the relief they sought: That they be discharged from the custody of the Sheriff Harold A. Yetzer. All had been free on bail.

They were arrested April 13 in Reading and later surrendered to the sheriff. While in custody, they filed a writ of habeas corpus, contending that the charge of "inciting to riot" was not established, and therefore they were illegally held.

The petitioners involved in the case were: Roy E. Frankhouser, head of the Pennsylvania branch of the KKK; Richard F. Grim, Allentown; Barry B. Ignatovi, Albert and Robert Rowe, all of Philadelphia; Alexander M. Fasy III, Chester; Mike G. Rainey, Dover, Del.; Charles Knowles, Butler street and David Kraig, 400 block of Bultwood street.

Atty. Frederick Edenhartel was counsel for all but Knowles

and Kraig, who were represented by Atty. Joseph E. DeSanctis. The attorneys represented the Klansmen at the request of the late Judge Albert S. Readinger.

"In the case before us," Judge Hess wrote, "no riot in any sense of the word took place at any time. There is no evidence that defendants by any action or by any literature distributed by them intended in any way to urge or goad individuals or groups to take violent action for any purpose.

"We can conceive of facts which might be sufficient to incite a riot even though none in fact takes place, but in our opinion to establish the offense in that type of case, the evidence to establish that the acts of the defendants were committed with intent to incite should be clear and convincing and not

merely a balance between an evil intent and a lawful intent," he continued.

Judge Hess noted that the fear that certain controversial actions occurring in a hostile atmosphere might produce disturbance, cannot be transformed into evidence of the intent of the actors to incite others to create a violent disturbance.

'Common Sense'

"We know of no authority for the proposition we have suggested, and rest on common sense," Judge Hess said. "Were the law otherwise, a great number of good citizens who desire to further minority causes might run the risk of criminal charges of inciting even though they merely seek to further their support of unpopular causes."

The judge did admit from the evidence that one or more of the defendants may be guilty of battery "if in fact he or they did.

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Reading Eagle
Reading, Pa.

Date: 8/8/68

Edition: Evening Paper

Author

Editor: Walter S. Dill

Title: HOODED KU KLUX KLAN
DEMONSTRATION, READING,
PA. 4/13/68

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spit upon a citizen." Some unidentified defendant may be guilty of an assault in making a threat; but "we know of no decided case, and none has been called to our attention by counsel . . ."

Judge Hess conceded that the parading of the defendants in the regalia of the KKK is not sufficient to establish probable cause for, unpopular as the Klan may be, its members have the right to express support for the principles of the Klan in a peaceable manner.

He added that literature allegedly distributed by the Klansmen should in no way offend the sensibilities of any fair-minded, patriotic citizen. He referred to a card recommending that taking a Negro home to lunch would help integration. The jurist said that the term by which the Negro was referred to "certainly is offensive." But, he wrote, "other-

wise, it merely calls attention to a failing prevalent in too many of our citizens."

The remaining incidents in the testimony, the judge wrote, for the most part occurred at the instigation of persons other than the defendants.

Lauds D.A.

Judge Hess noted that Van Hoove joined counsel for the defendants in their position that the evidence fails to establish in any way the charge of inciting the riot.

The judge commended Van Hoove for his "fairness and frankness" and was satisfied that the district attorney was acting in the highest tradition of a prosecuting attorney "which is that he seek justice and not victims."

Asst. City Solicitor Peter F. Cianci had contended that the record established probable cause.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: AUG 23 1968

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-2559) (C)

SUBJECT: HOODED KU KLUX KLAN DEMONSTRATION,
READING, PA., 4/13/68
RM
(OO:PHILADELPHIA)

Enclosed for the Bureau are an original and eight copies of a self-explanatory LHM suitable for dissemination.

Information contained in enclosed LHM was obtained by SA [REDACTED] b6 b7C

A copy of enclosed LHM has been furnished to NISO, MI, OSI, and Secret Service locally.

3-Bureau (Enc.-9) (RM)

1-Philadelphia

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1-157-1214 (POSSIBLE RACIAL VIOLENCE-MAJOR URBAN AREAS)

1-157-341 (UKA, KKKK)

1-157-1646 (UKA, PA.)

1-105-4158 (ROY E. FRANKHOUSER)

1-157-1881 [REDACTED]

1-157-1778 [REDACTED]

1-157-765 [REDACTED]

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1-157-2192 [REDACTED]

1-157-2133 [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : File

FROM : SAC Jamieson

SUBJECT: RACIAL MATTER FILES

DATE: 7-19-68

Certain files of a racial nature previously carried as 100 and 105 classifications are being changed to classification 157.

This is to facilitate identifying and routing such files to Desk # 9, which has been established to handle racial matters in this office. These were previously assigned to the #3 Desk.

The purpose of this memo is to record consolidation of these files and to reflect that all serials from the original file are being made serial 1 of the new file.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA

DATE: 8/22/68

FROM : ~~Mississippi~~
SAC, BIRMINGHAM (105-722) (P)

SUBJECT: UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (UKA)
RM (KLAN)
OO: BIRMINGHAM

Listed below are return addresses of mail received at the National Office of captioned organization on 8/16/68. This information is being furnished your office for indexing purposes and no specific investigation is requested.

CAUTION: EXTREME CARE SHOULD BE USED IN DISSEMINATION OF ANY INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS LETTER IN ORDER TO PROTECT SOURCE WHO IS IN A VERY SENSITIVE POSITION.

ATLANTA DIVISION:

Atlanta, Georgia.

CHARLOTTE DIVISION:

Post Office Box 244, Durham, North Carolina.

Post Office Box 112, Englehart, North Carolina.

Post Office Box 548, Bridgeton, North Carolina.

CINCINNATI DIVISION:

West Elkton, Ohio.

JACKSON DIVISION:

Route 4, Box 139, Columbus, Mississippi

2 - Atlanta (RM)
2 - Charlotte (RM)
2 - Cincinnati (RM)
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[REDACTED], Columbus,
Mississippi.

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NEW ORLEANS DIVISION:

Route 1, Box 344, Sulphur, Louisiana.

Post Office Box 5263, Lake Charles, Louisiana.

PHILADELPHIA DIVISION:

[REDACTED], Drexel Hill,
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ROY FRANKHOUSER, 133 South 4th Street, Ready,
Pennsylvania.

RICHMOND DIVISION:

Post Office Box 432, South Boston, Virginia.

Post Office Box 436, Lawrenceville, Virginia.

BIRMINGHAM DIVISION:

Post Office Box 99, Sumiton, Alabama.

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TO: SAC, COLUMBIA

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-341)

SUBJECT: UKA, KKKK
RM - KLAN

[redacted], who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised by report dated 8/25/68 that at a Klan meeting at York, Pa., on 8/25/68, a hand bill was obtained by the informant, which advertised a Klan rally to be held at 7 p.m., on 8/31/68 at Buckeye Plantation, Sumter, S.C., which is located five miles south on Highway 521, at Brodgon School. The hand bill noted that the featured speaker would be ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA.

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The informant further advised that Pennsylvania Klan members, ROY FRANKHOUSER and [redacted], and perhaps other York Klan members would attend this rally.

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- 2 - Columbia (UKA, KKKK)
- 1 - Birmingham (157-722) (UKA, KKKK)
- 4 - Philadelphia
 - 1 - 157-341 (UKA, KKKK)
 - 1 - 157-[redacted]
 - 1 - 105-4158 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
 - 1 - [redacted]

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[] advised that he did not believe that he would be able to make this affair, but would advise of any further information, which might come to his attention concerning it.

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Director, FBI (Bufile- 97-4262)

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SAC, Philadelphia (105-4158)

ROY E. FRANKHOUSER
SM-MIS

Re: _____

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Name		Delete: Roy E. Frankhouser		Add: Roy Everett Frankhouser, Jr.	
Aliases		Add: Roy E. Frankhouser; Royson Everett Frankhouser, Jr.;		☐ Native Born ☐ Naturalized ☐ Alien	☐ Tab Detcom ☐ Delete Detcom
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☐ WWP	☐ SDS	☐ PLP	☐ ANA	☐ PRN	☐ BNT
☐ NOI	☐ RAM	☐ SNC	☐ Miscellaneous (<i>specify</i>) <u>Priority III</u>		
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PH 105-4158

SUBJECT: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER

REFERENCE: Philadelphia communication dated 8/2/68

Referenced communication contained subject's residence and/or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence:

Employment:

Change Name From: Roy E. Frankhouser to: Roy Everett Frankhouser, Jr.

Add Aliases of: Roy E. Frankhouser, Jr.;
Royson Everett Frankhouser, Jr.

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ROY EVERETT FRANKHOUSER, JR.
SM-MIN**RABBLE ROUSER INDEX**☐ New Subject ☒ Change ☐ Delete

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PD Atlanta Ga	Roy Everitt Frankhouser Jr. #206249	9-4-61	DC aslt on officer DC dist	6-1-63 NOD 6-1-63 NOD on chg of CPWL
Arlington Co Pol Arlington Va	Roy Everett Frankhouser Jr. #A-175745	2-2-63 2-4-63	A&B red to DC	30 das & C
PD Balto Md	Roy Everitt Frankhouser Jr. #123 457	6-22-63	Viol Park Rule #46; 2 dis cond	6-23-63 (1) \$50. & costs; (2) 30 days BCJ
PD Reading Pa	Roy E Frankhouser Jr #5728	8-2-63	trespassing on posted land	dismissal - c - paid
Allegheny Co Det Bu Pgh Pa	Roy E. Frankhouser #104643	8-18-63	VCO	\$10 or 10 das 8-19-63 Rel: Costs Paid on chg of exhibit literature of hate
PD Phila Pa	Roy Frankhouser #399954	10-7-66	DC	\$10. & costs
PD Phila Pa	Roy Frankhouser #399954	10-9-66	DC	(not indicated probably same as above)
Army	Roy Everett Frankhouser, Jr. #RA13 595 185	11-6-56 Ft Jackson		
G-2	Roy Everitt Frankhouser, Jr.	Appl FP 4-19-57		

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TO:

Date 9-9-68

Your inquiry of recent date

SAC, Philadelphia (105-4158)

Re: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER
RM

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- ☒ Attached furnished in reply to your inquiry.
☐ Attached furnished in compliance with request from
☐ Only record available attached.
☐ This matter is receiving attention and you will be advised at an early date.
☐ Supplementing FBI Laboratory report dated
☐ Records FBI #
are furnished since there is a possibility that one may pertain to the subject in whom you are interested.
☐ Fingerprint files fail to disclose
☐ Confirming FBI wire of
☐ A wanted notice has not been placed as subject appears to be in custody.
☐ When you no longer desire your notice maintained, please advise.
☐ If you determine subject to be in custody, please advise so that your notice may be canceled.
☐ Subject of your inquiry searched in name indices only. Enclosed record(s) possibly identical. If identical, resubmit request and wanted (or flash) notice will be placed.
☐ If it is determined that the subject of this record is not the individual in whom you are interested, please advise.
☐ Your communication is returned.
☒ FBI #45 912 D has been consolidated with FBI #415 069 E. Future records will show FBI #415 069 E.

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SAC, Philadelphia (157-2888)

ROY EVERETT FRANKHOUSER, JR.
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TO: SAC, Philadelphia (157-341)
 FROM: SA [REDACTED]
 SUBJECT: UKA, KKKK
 RM - KLAN

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Date of Report

8/20/68

Date(s) of activity

8/19/68

Brief description of activity or material

Visit of Klan members at York, Pa.

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Remarks: ACTION: NONE

1 - 157-341
 1 - 157-3010 [REDACTED]
 ① - 105-4158 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
 1 - 157-1991 [REDACTED]
 1 - 157-1213 [REDACTED]
 1 - 157-1798 [REDACTED]
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Today it was learned that two klansmen visited [redacted] of York on Monday, August 19, 1968. These men were [redacted] of Upper Darby, Pa. and [redacted] of Reading, Pa.

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The purpose of the meeting was to inform [redacted] that [redacted] would be the new state organizer under Roy Frankhouser and with his approval.

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[redacted] and [redacted] discussed the possibility of opening a book store in Reading, Pa. devoted to right wing literature only. This store will be at Roy Frankhouser's home where the barber shop is now situated.

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[redacted] was an organizer in the south for the klan and has just recently moved to the Reading area, and more recently moved in with Frankhouser at his home. [redacted] is one of the nine men who was arrested in Reading with Frankhouser for inciting to riot. [redacted] also [redacted] for a living.

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It was determined to hold a meeting Sunday, August 25, 1968 at [redacted] for the purpose of having [redacted] give the group his views on how to run a smoother operation.

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[redacted] was also present with [redacted] at this meeting.

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The automobile that [redacted] and [redacted] came to York in was a [redacted]. License no. [redacted].

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Brief description of activity or material

8/30/68-9/1/68

S. C. Realm of the UKA, Inc., held state wide rally and state klonvocation at Sumter, S. C., weekend 8/30/68; to 9/1/68. Imperial

Wizard Robert M. Shelton and other Imperial representatives attended both rally and

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Remarks: klonvocation. Info. re rally, meetings and other activities including klansmen set forth.

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- 1 -
- 3 --Birmingham (RM)
 - (1 - 157-) (Robert M. Shelton)
 - (1 - 157-)
- 4 --Charlotte (RM)
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- 2 --Indianapolis (RM)
 - (1 - 157-)
- ② --Philadelphia (RM)
 - (1 - 157-) (Roy Frankhouser)
- 3 --Richmond (RM)
 - (1 - 157-)
 - (1 - 157-)
- 36 --Columbia
 - 1 - 157-7 (UKA)
 - 1 - 157-7SFL (Klan Rallies)
 - 1 - 157-470 (Scoggins)
 - 1 - 157-2541

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1 - 157-2929 [REDACTED]
1 - 157-1730 [REDACTED]
1 - 157-4474 [REDACTED]
1 - 157-2690 (Andrews Klavern)
1 - 157-27 (Dillon Klavern)
1 - 157-103 (Florence Klavern)
1 - 157-71 (Sumter Klavern)
1 - 157- (Summerville Klavern)
1 - 157-3430 (Johns Island Klavern)
1 - 157-4642 (New Ellenton Klavern)
1 - 157- (Graniteville Klavern)
1 - 157-481 (Westminster Klavern)
1 - 157-2976 (Easley Klavern)
1 - 157- (Whitney Klavern)
1 - 157-433 (Spartanburg Klavern)
1 - 157- (Columbia Klavern)
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1 - 157-30 (Fishopville Klavern)
1 - 157-131 (Orangeburg Klavern)
1 - 157-418 (Richburg Klavern)

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Informant advised during contact that he met Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton and [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] in Sumter, South Carolina, around noon, 8/31/68. Informant stated that the Imperial Wizard upon his arrival received information that he had a telephone call from his wife in Tuscaloosa, Alabama and the message was for him, the Imperial Wizard, to call one Bob Huggins in connection with the pending court action against himself, Bob Carnegie and Dorset. According to the information received Bob Huggins had apparently received a telephone call from the former attorney of the Imperial Wizard who is identified

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as being Lester V. Chalmers, who was handling the klan defense in connection with the Un-American activities hearing in Washington, D. C. According to information received from the Imperial Wizard his attorney Chalmers was paid \$58,000 from the klan for the retainer fee and expenses but was later dismissed as the klan attorney.

Imperial Wizard mentioned that he is now obtaining the legal services of one Fred Blanton, who is a professor of law, who was formerly at the University of Virginia. Blanton allegedly took the klan case for \$150 day expenses and no retainer fee. According to the Imperial Wizard, this attorney Blanton is going to Washington, D. C. to file a "writ of certiorari". The defense for Blanton is planning this simply to show that the three individuals involved in the hearing never actually engaged in any un-American acts. This is supposed to be a new approach to this matter that is presently pending in Washington, D. C.

Informant was also told by Imperial Wizard that Blanton is one of the best appeal lawyers in the Country and should be able to win the case before the Supreme Court.

Informant stated that he received a telephone call from [redacted] of Johns Island Klavern, Charleston, S. C. on 9/3/68, and [redacted] was attempting to change charges to be brought against Robert E. Scoggins for fraud and misappropriation of klan funds in connection with the raffle of the Mustang. It is not known whether or not [redacted] and some of his other klansmen will attempt to bring charges against Scoggins for the misappropriation of the funds in connection with this raffle.

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Informant further stated that Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins told him in confidence that he had used the \$1,000 of the Mustang money for a new mimeograph machine. This is why he did not have the money to pay for the Mustang. Scoggins has told informant that he intends to either obtain a loan or attempt to mortgage the automobile through the winter.

Informant also advised that during a private conversation with Imperial Wizard he was told that if Grand Dragon Scoggins did not pay for the Mustang by 9/3/68, that the Imperial Wizard would declare the election of Scoggins void and as a result Scoggins would no longer be Grand Dragon.

On 9/3/68, informant telephonically advised that he had talked with [redacted] on the telephone this date and

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had determined that Grand Dragon Scoggins had not pay for the Mustang to date. [redacted] told informant he would have to report this matter to the Imperial Wizard in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and he suspects that the election of Scoggins would be void within the next day or so.

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During a conversation with the Imperial Wizard on 8/31/68, Imperial Wizard told informant that the state of New Jersey had an injunction against him from entering that state. Imperial Wizard mentioned that he had hired a lawyer to beat the injunction and that the lawyer charged him \$26 for doing nothing. Imperial Wizard said the injunction is still on to the best of his knowledge and that the lawyer has made no effort to dispose of the injunction to date.

Informant further stated that the Imperial Wizard also told him that one of the Negroes who was shot in the Orangeburg riots back a few months ago is to be married to a white nurse within a few months and that this article will appear as a feature in the Firey Cross.

Imperial Wizard also told informant during a personal conversation that Carnegie in Virginia is quitting the klan and will go into the Barbeque business in Raleigh, N. C. Carnegie claims that the FBI has spent considerable money trying to run down the klan in Virginia and feels that all of the money will be wasted the minute he gets out of the klan.

It is to be noted that during personal conversation with Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton he informed the informant that he feels that the Johnson Administration through the Department of Justice is out to get him in the next few months of the Johnson Administration. Shelton cited to informant specific examples, one being the fraud against the Government suit that has been brought against Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins of the South Carolina Realm. Shelton also cited the contempt proceedings which are apparently going to be instituted against Dorsett, Huggins and Kornegay and also the Federal Government proceedings against Doyle Ellington, the Grand Dragon for the State of Tennessee in connection with bootleg liquor charges. Shelton pointed out to informant that the county charge on the bootleg liquor matter had been dropped against Ellington, however, the Federal Government immediately filed charges to prosecute Ellington.

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The South Carolina Realm of the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, held a statewide klonvocation at Sumter, South Carolina, over the weekend of August 30, 1968 - September 1, 1968. The klonvocation was informally opened on Friday evening, 8/30/68, at the klan rally grounds located on land owned by the Buckeye Plantation, Sumter, S. C. and the informal opening was a burning of a few crosses. The following day was the actual formal beginning of the state klonvocation and klansmen from several different states arrived at the rally grounds in Sumter, S. C. around noon. The klansmen started gathering for the rally during the afternoon and the actual klan rally did not start until approximately 8:30 p.m. that evening.

During the afternoon a band from Columbia, S. C., played and there was also an auction. Several small items were auctioned off at the rally grounds and the one big item that was auctioned off was a new Ford Mustang. The South Carolina Realm had printed 20,000 raffle tickets with the name UKA on the tickets for the auction of the Mustang and the gross amount allegedly taken on the raffle tickets was \$2,007.75. It was noted that

the individual klaverns who sold the various raffle tickets kept 25% of the gross income from the tickets and the remainder was given to the state office which amounted to approximately \$1,600 after the percentage was taken out. According to information received the money totaling approximately \$1,600 was taken by Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins and was used by Scoggins for some other purpose other than purchasing the Mustang. In view of this Grand Dragon Scoggins did not have enough money to pay for the Mustang. It was noted that approximately \$900 was turned in at the state office 8/31/68 on the sale of raffle tickets and as a result the klan needed to raise an additional \$1,400 in order to pay for the car.

The Mustang reportedly cost the klan \$2,375 and the purchase was actually handled by one Harry Gilliam, who was in charge of this matter. As of September 1, 1968, the klan did not have enough money to pay for the automobile. The winner of the Mustang was identified as being a non-klansman, FNU [redacted], (Phonetic), who allegedly is from Pelzer, S. C.

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The second main raffle item was a television which was never actually purchased by the klan. One of the klansmen apparently won the television but will never receive the television inasmuch as the klan never purchased it.

Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton of Tuscaloosa, Alabama was highly upset because the klan in S. C. did not have enough money to pay for the Mustang. Imperial Wizard reportedly told some of the klansmen that Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins would be removed as Grand Dragon if he failed to pay for the Mustang by September 3, 1968.

The klan rally was opened with a prayer by one of the klavern kludds at approximately 8:30 p.m., August 31, 1968. Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins acted as master of ceremonies and introduced all of the speakers. Speakers at the rally were identified as follows:

First Speaker - Unidentified woman from Florence Ladies Klavern, Florence, S. C.

Second Speaker - Mrs. Bob Jones, wife of Grand Dragon Jones, North Carolina.

Third Speaker - Mrs. Bob Scoggins, wife of Grand Dragon Scoggins of South Carolina.

Fourth Speaker - Imperial Representative Billy Barnes of Fairfax, S. C.

Fifth Speaker - Grand Dragon Bob Jones of North Carolina.

Sixth Speaker - Imperial Representative Robert Carnegie from the state of Virginia.

Seventh Speaker - Imperial Wizard Robert E. Shelton of Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Eighth Speaker - William M. Chaney, Imperial Knight-hawk from Indiana.

Ninth Speaker - Roy Frankhouser, who is the Imperial Representative from Pennsylvania and who was formerly associated with the Nazi Party.

Two other Imperial Board representatives, Steve Morris, who is the Imperial Klexter, North Carolina, and Charlie Elders, Imperial Kladd, were introduced at the rally but did not speak.

There were about fifty robed klansmen at the rally in addition to an estimated 300 to 350 spectators who were mostly klans people. There were no incidents at the rally and the rally was closed with a cross lighting ceremony.

The cross lighting ceremony poem was recited by Grand Dragon Scoggins at the close of the rally.

[redacted], (Phonetic), turned in a klan application and membership card at the rally. He is described as a white male, about 22 years old and resides at [redacted] [redacted], Sumter, S. C. and is allegedly a member of the United States Air Force.

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The next morning at approximately 9 a.m., 9/1/68, the delegates and other spectators gathered at the Sportsman Club, Sumter, S. C., where the official klonvocation meetings were. The meeting was opened at approximately 9:30 a.m. with about 56 delegates representing approximately 20 klaverns.

Grand Dragon Scoggins was questioned by some of the delegates regarding the Federal action taken against him recently regarding the VA benefits and Grand Scoggins informed everyone that the charge was not a criminal felony charge, it was just a Civil Suit.

The financial report was read by Harry Gilliam. According to the report the state headquarters of the South Carolina Realm took in a little over \$8,000 during the past year from dues and clectokens. This figure could indicate or would indicate that there are approximately 400 active klansmen in the state of S. C. at this time. It is not known whether this includes the Ladies Auxiliary members or not.

The next order of business was the election of State Officers and results are as follows:

Re-elected Grand Dragon - Robert E. Scoggins

Klaliff - Harry Gilliam

Kludd - Bergen Stepp

Klokard - Younger MacNewton

Kladd - Boyd Hayes

Klexter - E. C. Cash

Klabee - H. L. Wilson

Knighthawk - James Nettles

Klarogo - Buster Lamb

Kligrapp - Ben Morgan

It was noted that Harry Gilliam opposed Grand Dragon Robert Scoggins for Grand Dragon position; however, Scoggins has won the election with a delegation vote of 33 to 23.

Ben Morgan, who has been elected Kligrapp is reportedly

[redacted] from the Spartanburg, S. C. area. Morgan is reported to be [redacted] and has a [redacted].

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There were approximately 19 klaverns represented at the klonvocation and were all in good standing. Some of the representing klaverns were as follows:

Andrews Klavern

Dillon Klavern

Florence Klavern

Sumter Klavern

Summerville Klavern

Johns Island Klavern

New Ellenton Klavern

Graniteville Klavern

Westminster Klavern

Easley Klavern

Whitney Klavern

Spartanburg Klavern

Columbia Klavern

Hampton Klavern

Bishopville Klavern

Camden Klavern

Orangeburg Klavern

Richburg Klavern

It was noted that some of the above listed klaverns did not have all of their delegates at the klonvocation and as a result the total number of delegates voting was considerably smaller than what was allowed. Each klavern is alleged three delegates if the klavern is in good standing.

There were actually two meeting sessions at the State Klonvocation, one in the morning that lasted from 9:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. and then one in the afternoon from 2:15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

During the morning session there were discussions concerning how the individual klaverns could record their bank accounts in the various banks. It was agreed that each klavern should record their bank account under the name UKA, Inc., so that if the klavern ever goes inactive the klan can obtain the money from the bank. There was also a discussion on those klaverns who are planning to build new klavern halls.

It was decided that the ownership papers should be drawn up in such a legal manner wherein the klavern halls would be retained by the klan as long as the place is used for klan activities.

The following Imperial Board representatives were at the Klonvocation in South Carolina:

Robert M. Shelton - Imperial Wizard

Melvin Sexton - Imperial Kligrapp

Coy Neal - Imperial Klabee

Charlie Elders - Imperial Kladd

Thomas E. Morris - Imperial Klexter

William Barnes, Jr., - Imperial Klarogo

William M. Chaney - Imperial Knighthawk

The Imperial Wizard told one of the klansman in South Carolina that the Imperial Klonvocation would be held October 5 and 6, 1968, at the Mamoto Inn, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and that he was anticipating having a United States Senator as the guest speaker at the banquet.

Grand Dragon Robert Carnegie of Virginia is reported to have given up his position as Grand Dragon and is planning to move to Raleigh, North Carolina, where he will open a barbeque place. Carnegie related to klansmen that he had all of his enthusiasm taken out of him and had no more interest in the klan. According to Carnegie the klan in Virginia has over \$10,000

in bank money and equipment that belongs to the klan. Carnegie has also told some of the klansmen that a man in the Governor's Office in Virginia will take over as Grand Dragon.

There were several internal problems in connection with the election of State Officers in South Carolina during the klonvocation. Several of the state officers wanted to elect Harry Gilliam as Grand Dragon, however, Robert E. Scoggins won the election.

There were no incidents whatsoever in connection with the rally and klonvocation that took place in Sumter, S. C. over the weekend 8/30/68-9/1/68.

(Mount Clipping in Space Below)

Cycle Clubs Arming for Race Riots

By GEORGE J. MURRAY

Of The Inquirer Staff

Members of Negro-hating outlaw motorcycle clubs in Philadelphia have armed themselves for involvement in possible race riots. The Inquirer learned Wednesday.

The reported arming coincided with an influx to Philadelphia, New Jersey, New York City and Long Island of former members of the Hell's Angels, a California-based motorcycle club and the most notorious in the Nation.

The information is contained in a confidential memorandum written on the basis of a quiet investigation of 10 Philadelphia outlaw clubs that was ordered by Police Commissioner Frank L. Rizzo last January.

MAN RUN DOWN

Among the clubs that have been kept under constant surveillance for almost seven months in the continuing investigation, it was learned, is the Warlocks. Two members of that club, which maintains a headquarters on Elmwood ave. near 73d st., were arrested Monday on charges of deliberately running down a 62-year-old man in an automobile after pursuing him. The victim beneath the Pas-syunk ave. bridge.

The Warlocks charged with aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill, were identified as Roger Renfrew, 30, of Havertown, and Donald Gajewski, 21, of 75th st. near Elmwood ave.

Renfrew has been arrested 19 times since 1958 and last June was accused by police of carrying bombs in his automobile.

\$1000 BAIL EACH

The victim of the purported deliberate hit-run on Monday is Floyd Mallard, of 2018 Layeen st., West Oak Lane, who was admitted to Methodist Hospital unconscious and in critical condition from head injuries. Mallard is a Negro. The suspects are white.

Renfrew and Gajewski were released in \$1000 bail each to await a hearing at 9 A. M. July 19 in the Police Administration Building.

Rizzo on Wednesday criticized Magistrate Edward T. Quinn for being "too lenient" in fixing bail. He also announced that police patrols in the area of the Warlocks' headquarters have been alerted for trouble.

FACE ARREST

"If they (the outlaw motorcycle clubs) get out of hand," the commissioner said, "we will most certainly do something about it. They are not going to cause any problems in this city. It is not going to be permitted. If they violate the laws, they will be arrested."

The confidential police memorandum identified the president of the Warlocks as Leonard Shub, 30, who has a record of four arrests for minor offenses since 1960.

The club has an estimated 70 members, 10 of them recent acquisitions from the infamous Hell's Angels, according to the report.

Outlaw motorcycle clubs seldom, if ever, are racially mixed. Of those in Philadelphia, eight are all white and two are all

MAINTAIN QUARTERS

Only the Warlocks and three other clubs maintain headquarters. The three others are the Dragons, Germantown ave. near Cayuga st.; the Corsairs, 58th st. and Woodland ave., and the Pagons, Kensington ave. near Wellington st.

The Pagons and the Wheels of Soul, whose members mostly reside in the area around 56th and Vine sts. in West Philadelphia, are Negro clubs.

New clubs are being formed all the time. The newest, according to police, is the South Philadelphia Motorcycle Club. Others under close surveillance are the Chosen Few and the Irag Ones, both operating in Northeast Philadelphia; the Centurians and a club which calls itself I'm-a-Loner, whose members frequent Rittenhouse Square.

POLICE RECORDS

The confidential police report states that at least 15 Warlocks have police records, including one arrest for rape and one for possession of marijuana.

Currently, Shub, who is reported to have left his wife to take up residence in a back room of the Warlocks club-house, is forming an organization to be called the United Motorcycle Association, according to police.

Shub already has elected himself president of the association, investigators say. Dues-paying members will be drawn initially from the Warlocks and three other clubs—the Dragons, the Centurians and, ironically, the Negro Pagons.

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August 3, 1968

Minutemen
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On this date, a member of the Minutemen met with [] in the Minutemen, and []
[], prospective member of the Minutemen. The meeting
took place [] in New York City at
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The trio went to a few bars and discussed various things.

[] said that he heard that [], the man
accused of stabbing ROY FRANKHOUSER is not a member of the NRP. He
said that [] had once been asked by [] if he wanted to
join. [] refused and that ended that.

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[] said he would like to send out, and paste up
some Minutemen stickers; the ones with the Minuteman on it. He
asked that the member present bring him some next time they met.

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[] said that he has not yet heard from the
Minutemen but that he will be patient even though he thinks that
they are taking too long.

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He has been waiting over one year for membership.

[] said that he wants the member present to write
to ROY FRANKHOUSER to find out when there will be another Ku
Klux Klan rally in the Northeast, as he wants to attend.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-¹⁵⁷⁻~~105-341~~) *Q*

FROM : *Q* SAC, NEWARK (157-1892)

SUBJECT: UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC., aka (UKA)
RM (KLAN)

DATE: AUG 9 1968

[Redacted], reliable, advised on 7/25/68, that the Imperial Wizard, ROBERT SHELTON, wrote a letter to ROY FRANKHOUSER, Imperial Representative of the UKA for Pennsylvania, dated April 10, 1968, informing FRANKHOUSER that he was not to go into any other state or associate with any other organization without first having permission from the supreme authority in that state. This letter, copies of which were furnished state offices of the UKA for New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Connecticut, also stated that ANDREW WATSON, FRANK ROTELLA and LESTER FORSYTH were banished from the UKA. b7D

Informant also furnished a copy of the Oath of Allegiance of the UKA, which is exhibited in the 1A section of subject file (157-1892).

According to informant, JOHN BEHRINGER, the Imperial Representative for New Jersey, had protested to the National Office of the UKA that FRANKHOUSER had planned to come to New Jersey, to speak in behalf of the WHITE CRUSADERS, which was started by ROTELLA and WATSON after they were expelled from the UKA.

LESTER FORSYTH was the Kligrapp of Unit #2 of the UKA, which was located in Newark. He was expelled by BEHRINGER in April, 1968, for personal misconduct, i.e., leaving his wife and not paying BEHRINGER for some UKA literature.

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Columbia, South Carolina

September 3, 1968

UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN,
SOUTH CAROLINA REALM (RALLY AND STATE
KLOINVOCATION HELD SUMTER, SOUTH CAROLINA,
AUGUST 31 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 1, 1968

On September 2, 1968 and September 3, 1968, sources of the Columbia Division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation advised that the United Klans of America, Incorporated, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, South Carolina Realm, held a public rally at Sumter, South Carolina, on August 31, 1968. The rally was held at the Buckeye Plantation, which is located on the Manning Highway south of Sumter, South Carolina. The rally started at about 12:00 noon. The rally ended at about 11:00 P.M. at which time a raffle was held for a Mustang automobile and TV set. From noon until about 8:00 P.M. there was music and general entertainment at the rally grounds. At approximately 8:00 P.M., an auction was held which lasted until 8:30 or 9:00 P.M. The auction was for the purpose of raising money for the State Office and various klansmen donated articles to be auctioned.

The speaking started at between 8:30 or 9:00 P.M. with Robert E. Scoggin acting as the master of ceremonies. The following individuals spoke:

Mrs. Robert Jones, wife of Grand Dragon Robert Jones, North Carolina.

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UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN
SOUTH CAROLINA REALM

Mrs. Robert Scoggin, wife of Grand Dragon Scoggin,
South Carolina.

Evelyn Anderson, Florence Ladies Auxiliary, Florence,
South Carolina.

Billy Barnes, Hampton, South Carolina

Grand Dragon Robert Jones, North Carolina

Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton

William Chaney, Grand Dragon, Indiana

Roy Frankhouser, Grand Dragon, Pennsylvania

Marshall Kornegay, Grand Dragon, Virginia

There were an estimated 150 cars at the rally grounds. There were about 50 robed klansmen and approximately 300 spectators at the rally. After the speeches there was a cross lighting ceremony after which drawing for the Mustang automobile and TV set was held. A first name unknown [redacted] (phonetic), Pelzer, South Carolina, was the winner of the automobile. The winner of the TV set is not known. There were no incidents at the rally. b6 b7C

On Sunday, September 1, 1968, the United Klans of America, South Carolina Realm, held a Klonvocation at the Sumter meeting place, the old Brogdon Schoolhouse, which is located near the Buckeye Plantation. The Klonvocation started at about 10:00 A.M., and ended at approximately 5:00 P.M. After the Klonvocation there was a security guard meeting. There were 56 delegates present at the Klonvocation. The names of twenty-one klaverns were called, however, there were only nineteen klaverns in good standing. The main business at the Klonvocation was the election of the State Board. The results of the election is as follows:

Grand Dragon, Robert E. Scoggin, Residence
Spartanburg, South Carolina, re-elected.

UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN,
SOUTH CAROLINA REALM

Grand Klaliff (Vice-President), Harry Gilliam, residence Spartanburg, South Carolina (position formerly held by Steve Broadway).

Grand Klokard (Lecturer) Younger MacNewton, residence Columbia, South Carolina (re-elected).

Grand Kludd (Chaplain) Burgan Stepp, residence Campobello, South Carolina (position formerly held by George Todd).

Grand Kligrapp (Secretary) Ben Morgan, Spartanburg, South Carolina (position formerly held by Harry Gilliam).

Grand Klabee (Treasurer) Harry L. Wilson, residence [redacted] Blacksville, South Carolina, (position formerly held by Dean Williams).

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Grand Kladd (Conductor) D. B. Hayes, residence West Columbia, South Carolina (position formerly held by Levi J. Worrells).

Grand Klarogo (Inner Guard), Buster Lamb, residence Hampton, South Carolina (position formerly held by Lee Brown).

Grand Klexter (Outer Guard), Ernest C. Cash, residence Easley, South Carolina (position formerly held by Harry L. Wilson).

Grand Knight Hawk (In charge of candidates) James Nettles, residence Burton, South Carolina (position formerly held by Carl M. Wildes).

The Treasurer's report indicated that there was approximately \$300 currently in the United Klans of America State Treasury.

Characterizations of the United Klans of America, Incorporated, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, and South Carolina Realm, are attached.

APPENDIX

UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (UKA)

Records of Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia, reflect that this Klan organization was granted a corporate charter on February 21, 1961, at Atlanta, Georgia, under the name United Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc.

A source advised on February 27, 1961, that United Klans was formed as a result of a split in U. S. Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc. According to the source, the split resulted from a leadership dispute, and the United Klans has the same aims and objectives as the parent group. These are the promotion of Americanism, white supremacy, and segregation of the races.

The first source and a second source advised in July, 1961, that United Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc., merged with Alabama Knights, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The merged organization established headquarters in Suite 401, Alston Building, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. (The organization is directed by ROBERT M. SHELTON, Imperial Wizard, and is the dominant Klan group in the South, with units in several southern states).

Second source advised that at a meeting in Prattville, Alabama, on October 22, 1961, the U. S. Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, merged with the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

Third source advised on May 7, 1968, that the UKA is currently an active organization, with Klaverns in several states. This source said that ROBERT W. SHELTON is the Imperial Wizard of this organization and was elected to this position on September 3, 1967, at a National Klonvocation in Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Source stated that during April, 1966, the National Office was moved from Suite 401, Alston Building, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, to the carport of SHELTON'S residence, #18 Lake Sherwood, Star Route, Northport, Alabama, which space he had converted into a room.

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UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN
SOUTH CAROLINA REALM

A source advised on May 27, 1968, that the South Carolina Realm of the United Klans of America, Incorporated, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, continues to have their headquarters in care of Post Office Box 4144, Spartanburg, South Carolina. The actual office space for the South Carolina Realm is located at the residence of Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggin, 818 Saxon Avenue, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

The first source and a second source advised on May 24, 1968, that the South Carolina Realm is subordinate to the parent group in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and receives instructions and guidance from the National Headquarters, which is headed by Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton.

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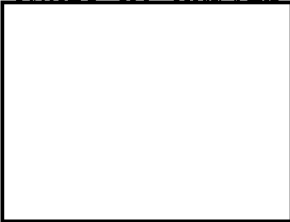
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MADOLE said that the attorney general's office will not issue a letter, as promised, releasing the NRP from the anti-uniform law. MADOLE said the reason for that is because it is just in time for a street demonstration and that pressure by the police department had probably been put on the attorney general's office. MADOLE said that the chief inspector, [redacted], [redacted], is a Jew and one could not expect more from a Jew.

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MADOLE said that at the street meeting on Aug. 3, the members will wear white shirts, black ties, and display the party banner and flags.

MADOLE said that ROY FRANKHOUSER was stabbed by [redacted] [redacted] who, it was found out, had an NRP membership card in his pocket. MADOLE said [redacted] had never been a member of the NRP.

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Date: 9/3/68

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To: Director, FBI

ATTENTION:

From: SAC, COLUMBIA (157-7)☐ CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION

GENERAL INVEST. DIV.

☒ DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIV.Subject: UKA, INC., KKKK, SOUTH CAROLINA REALM (RALLY AND STATE
KLONVOCATION HELD SUMTER, SOUTH CAROLINA 8/31-9/1/68).

☐ CR ☐ EL ☐ VRA-65 ☐ CRA-64
☐ PA ☐ PE ☐ PF
☐ BM ☐ BM-Threats ☒ Racial Matters
☒ Klan ☐ Organization

Summary of Complaint:

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies of an LHM regarding UKA Rally and State Klonvocation held at Sumter, S. C., 8/31-9/1/68. Copies of LHM being furnished also to other listed interested offices.

- 3 - Bureau (157-370-66) (Enc. 8) (RM)
- 5 - Charlotte (157-230) (Enc. 5) (RM)
- 2 - Birmingham (105-722) (Enc. 2) (RM)
- 2 - Memphis (Enc. 2) (RM)
- 2 - Richmond (157-151) (Enc. 2) (RM)
- 2 - Indianapolis (157-159) (Enc. 2) (RM)
- ② - Philadelphia (157-341) (Enc. 2) (RM)
- 24 - Columbia (See Page 2 for dissemination)

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ACTION: UACB:

- ☐ No further action being taken and
☒ LHM enclosed ☒ Copy furnished to USA Columbia, S. C.
☐ LHM being submitted
☐ Report being submitted
☐ Preliminary investigation instituted
☐ Limited investigation instituted

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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2 - 157-7 (UKA)
1 - 157-470 (SCOGGIN)
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The information in the LHM is a summary of the information furnished by [redacted], and [redacted].

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The following information was furnished by [redacted] in private conversations with Imperial Wizard SHELTON and is not being disseminated in view that the conversations were only conducted between [redacted] and Imperial Wizard SHELTON:

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SHELTON advised that ROBERT HUGGINS, GEORGE DORSETT, and MARSHALL KORNEGAY are due in Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, September 4, 1968, apparently in connection with the contempt proceedings against these individuals. SHELTON said that he had become upset with the klan lawyer LESTER CHALMERS and claims to have written a registered letter to

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him dismissing him as the attorney in the contempt proceedings. He said that they have hired a FRED BLANTON, who is a professor of appellate law at the University of Virginia. SHELTON said that he had been paying CHALMERS \$200 a day plus expenses and a retainer fee and that he is now paying BLANTON \$150 a day plus expenses and no retainer fee.

SHELTON related to [] that he feels that the JOHNSON administration through the Department of Justice is out to get him in the last few months of the JOHNSON administration in view of the fraud against the government suit against ROBERT E. SCOGGIN, Grand Dragon, South Carolina Realm, The contempt proceedings which are apparently going to be instituted against DORSETT, HUGGINS, and KORNEGAY, and the Federal Government proceedings against DOYLE ELLINGTON, the Grand Dragon for the State of Tennessee in connection with a bootleg liquor charge. SHELTON pointed out to [] that the county bootleg liquor charges had been dropped against ELLINGTON, however, the Federal Government immediately filed charges to prosecute ELLINGTON. b7D

[] had a personal conversation with MARSHALL KORNEGAY, Grand Dragon of Virginia, which is being set out below. b7D

KORNEGAY indicated to [] that he was giving up his post as Grand Dragon because he had lost all his enthusiasm for klan work. He said that he had someone in mind to replace him who was in the Governor's Office and [] assumed it to be the State of Virginia's Governor's Office. No names were mentioned during the conversation. b7D

[] advised that in connection with the raffle of the Mustang automobile and TV set that there were 20,000 raffle tickets printed. The car cost \$2,375 plus sales tax and approximately \$1,600 came into the State Office from the sale of raffle tickets prior to the raffle drawing on 8/31/68. SCOGGIN spent this money for other unknown purposes. There was approximately \$900 that was collected at the rally on 8/31/68 leaving a balance due on the Mustang automobile of \$1,475. The Mustang had been loaned to the UKA by Pierce Motors Company, Spartanburg, S. C., and was to be paid in full b7D

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by 9/5/68. SHELTON indicated to [] that if SCOGGIN did not pay for the car by 9/5/68 that he was going to declare the election for the Grand Dragon null and void. [] advised that the TV set to his knowledge has not been purchased and he doubts that it will be purchased. [] advised on 9/3/68 that he understands that SCOGGIN is in the process of buying a TV set for the winner. He said that he understands that the winner of the TV set is a member of the Columbia-Blythewood Klavern. The winner of the Mustang is a (First Name Unknown) [] (Phonetic), who is from Pelzer, S. C. and who is supposedly not a klansman. b7D

[] advised that according to the financial report which was read at the Klonvocation on 9/1/68 approximately \$8,000 had been collected by the State Office in klectokens since the beginning of the year. [] assumed from this that the active membership of the UKA in South Carolina would be about 400 members. [] advised that based on the number of delegates (56) at the Klonvocation, he would estimate the membership of the UKA in South Carolina at about 400 to 500. b7D

Both [] and [] advised that SHELTON had wanted to run HARRY GILLIAM as a candidate for the Grand Dragon's position. This action failed at the Klonvocation due to the strong support that SCOGGIN received from the 2nd and 3rd provinces. These two provinces rallied behind SCOGGIN and were able to re-elect him back to the Grand Dragon's position. GILLIAM took the second position of Klaliff at the personal request of Imperial Wizard SHELTON. b7D

Copies of LHM being disseminated to USA, U. S. Secret Service, Columbia, S. C.; 111th MIG, Fort McPherson, Ga.; NISO, Charleston, S. C. ; and OSI, Langley AFB, Va.

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9-3-68

Date(s) of activity

8-31-68

Brief description of activity or material

Informant furnished a report relative to a trip by ROBERT M. SHELTON to Sumter, South Carolina and his attendance at a UKA Rally.

File where original is located if not attached

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Remarks: Informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished the following report:

All necessary action has been taken on information furnished.

CAUTION: EXTREME CARE SHOULD BE USED IN THE DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS REPORT IN ORDER TO PROTECT SOURCE, WHO IS IN A VERY SENSITIVE POSITION.

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3 - COLUMBIA (RM)
(2 - 157-7 UKA)
(1 - 157-470 ROBERT SCOGGIN)

4 - INDIANAPOLIS (RM)
(2 - 157-159 UKA)
(1 - 157-205)
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③ - PHILADELPHIA (RM)
(2 - 105-341 UKA)
(1 - 157- ROY FRANKHOUSER)

3 - RICHMOND (RM)
(2 - 157-151 UKA)
(1 - 157-1240)

6 - BIRMINGHAM
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1 - 105-722
1 - 105-560
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(UKA, Inc., KKKK)
(ROBERT M. SHELTON)
(MELVIN SEXTON)

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September 3, 1968

Information was received at Tuscaloosa, Alabama that on August 31, 1968 ROBERT M. SHELTON, MELVIN SEXTON & COY NEAL left Tuscaloosa, Ala., and flew to Sumter, South Carolina, arriving there at 12:30pm. It was learned that the National Officers stayed at a Quality Court Motel, Rm. 261, in Sumter, South Carolina. During the afternoon SHELTON visited with various Klansmen who came to the room. Also during the afternoon SHELTON received a phone call from his wife [REDACTED], who told him that ROBERT HUDGINS from North Carolina had called the National Office, and told her that LESTER CHALMERS (the attorney for SHELTON in his prior contempt hearing) had called him (HUDGINS) and said that HUDGINS, MARSHALL KORNEGAY & GEORGE DORSETT had to go to Washington D.C, to appear in a hearing on 9/4/68. SHELTON placed a phone call to HUDGINS and verified this story, but could not find out why these men had to have a hearing, and when trying to ~~xxx~~ call CHALMERS could not get any answer. SHELTON also tried to call ED BLANTON in Birmingham, Alabama but could not get any answer. b6 b7C

The UKA Rally was held at the Sumter Klavern Hall, which is located about 7 miles north of Sumter, on the road to Manning, South Carolina. The Rally began at about 8:00pm and lasted until 11:15pm. The crowd was estimated at about 800 persons, 24 Robed Klansmen were observed and 15 Security Guards were also observed. The M.C. was ROBERT SCOGGIN, and the Speakers were as follows: ROBERT M. SHELTON, Imperial Wizzard, WILLIAM CHANEY, Grand ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Dragon of ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Indiana, MARSHALL KORNEGAY, Grand Dragon of Virginia, ROBERT JONES, Grand Dragon of North Carolina, ROY FRANKHOUSER, Pennsylvania. SHELTON, CHANEY, KORNEGAY, & JONES gave the usual speeches about the Justice Department, Civil Rights, Segregation, the FBI. FRANKHOUSER spoke about the riots in Washington, D.C. and the Poor People's March. It seems that he was up in Washington, D.C. at

this time and posed as a reporter, taking pictures and getting tapes of Resurrection City. It was learned that he will send these photographs Tuscaloosa, Alabama so that they may be included in the next issue of the Fiery Cross.

A Raffle was held, and some person from South Carolina was won a 1968 Ford Mustang. It was learned, however, that the Klan did not have enough money to pay for this car, as only about \$2,100 was taken in on the raffle, and the car cost about \$2,300. The car was purchased from the Pierce Motor Co., Spartanburg, South Carolina.

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TO : SAC, 157-341
FROM : SA [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: UKA, KKKK
RM - KLAN

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8/25/68

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Brief description of activity or material

UKA meeting at York, Pa.

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Remarks: ACTION: NONE

- 3 - BALTIMORE (RM)
1 - 157-875 (UKA, KKKK)
1 - 157- [REDACTED]
1 - 157- [REDACTED]
- 2 - BIRMINGHAM (RM)
1 - 157-722 (UKA, KKKK)
1 - 157-733 (ROBERT SHELTON)
- 2 - COLUMBIA (RM)
2 - 157- (UKA, KKKK)
- 2 - NEWARK (RM)
1 - 157- (UKA, KKKK)
1 - 157- [REDACTED]
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1 - 157-2233 [REDACTED]

① - 105-4158 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)

1 - 157-1991 [REDACTED]

1 - 157-1213 [REDACTED]

1 - 100-1879 [REDACTED]

1 - 157-1880 [REDACTED]

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1 - 157-2074 [REDACTED]

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NOTE: Airtel sent to Columbia and Birmingham re Klan rally
to be held at Sumter, S. C., on 8/31/68. Handbill
being filed in [REDACTED].

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August 25, 1968

It was learned that a group of klansmen met today at [redacted]
[redacted]. Those in attendance were

[redacted] and [redacted].
Klansmen visiting the York group were Roy Frankhouser, [redacted]

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[redacted] and [redacted].
[redacted] is the real name for [redacted] who was mentioned in an earlier report. Also in attendance were a man described in an earlier report by the name of [redacted] who is from New Jersey with him was [redacted]. There was also present a man named [redacted] who was [redacted] in klan robe at Maryland, several years ago. His robe is that of an executioner which is all black.

A movie was to be shown but instead [redacted] gave a long speech to the group in support of Wallace for President. [redacted] formerly lived in San Francisco, Calif. He claims to be a college graduate and says he served in the U. S. Armed Forces. He is approximately 6 ft. tall, thin built, weighs about 170 lbs. has sandy brown hair and speaks with a southern accent. According to [redacted] he will be [redacted] for the klan in Pa. along with his other newly acquired duties.

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There was also talk about a right wing bookstore which is to be operated from Frankhouser's home. The York group donated \$50.00 towards the expense of an inventory for this store.

Enclosed is a hand bill for the proposed rally August 30, 1968. Frankhouser, [redacted] and perhaps some of the York group will attend.

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Frankhouser stated that [redacted] was asked when interviewed if she attended a klan meeting where a explosive demonstration was held. This leads Frankhouser and others to believe that the informant to the F.B.I. is [redacted] of Delaware.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (105-4158) ;

DATE: 9/6/68

WBA FROM : DESK #4

SUBJECT: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, JR.

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SAC letter 68-36 Section A-DETPRO; Security Investigations of Individuals, set out among other things the administrative regulations for the writing of reports and the verification of residence and employment.

Captioned subject is being carried in Priority I.

This SAC letter commented regarding these priorities.

a. Priority I. This list will consist of hard core national and state basic revolutionary organization leaders and those leaders of other subversive organizations and unorganized groups and individuals who have indicated a propensity for violence and/or have received special training in sabotage, espionage, and/or guerrilla warfare. Individuals employed in or having access to key and/or defense facilities will be included on this list. Verification of residence and employment of each individual will be made every three months. A report will be submitted every six months.

b. Priority II. This list will consist of second level leadership of basic revolutionary organizations and other subversive organizations and individuals who present a significant threat but are in less influential positions than those in Priority I. Verification of residence and employment of each individual will be made every six months. A report will be submitted on an annual basis.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Baltimore, Maryland

September 9, 1968

RE: UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN,
RALLY HELD AT GAMBER, MARYLAND
SEPTEMBER 7, 1968

Confidential sources advised that a rally was held at Gamber, Maryland on the evening of September 7, 1968 by the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (UKA).

A characterization of the UKA is appended hereto.

Flyers had been distributed announcing the rally which would feature LOWELL BALLARD, Grand Dragon of Ohio and R. E. FRANKHOUSER, Imperial Representative of Ohio with special guest ROBERT M. SHELTON, Imperial Wizard.

Neither SHELTON nor BALLARD appeared at the rally. SHELTON had been contacted prior to the rally and advised not to appear in view of the arrest of [redacted], UKA, Maryland and several other Klansmen.

Lieutenant [redacted], Baltimore City Police Department, advised that on September 6, 1968 local authorities had arrested [redacted]

after a local Grand Jury had returned indictments on charges including local kidnapping, robbery with a deadly weapon, assault with intent to murder, possession of deadly weapon and conspiracy. [redacted] and [redacted] were incarcerated without bail. [redacted], who was also indicted on the above charges, was confined in

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RE: UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN,
RALLY HELD AT GAMBER, MARYLAND
SEPTEMBER 7, 1968

Baltimore County Jail on other local charges on
September 6, 1968 and a detainer was filed against him.

[redacted] of the UKA, Maryland, opened the
rally and ROY FRANKHOUSER was the principal speaker.
FRANKHOUSER gave the usual anti-Negro - pro-WALLACE speech.
WALLACE buttons and similar material were sold at the
rally and a hillbilly band played during the evening.

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There were about 200 present including about 20
Klansmen in robes and six or seven security guards in
uniform. A large cross was burned at the conclusion of
the rally. There were no incidents and no arrests.



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September 9, 1968

Title UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.,
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 RALLY HELD AT GAMBER, MARYLAND
 SEPTEMBER 7, 1968

Character

Reference Memorandum dated and captioned
 as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

9/9/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-370)
FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (157-1446)
SUBJECT: UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.
RM - KLAN

Re Birmingham teletype to Bureau dated 9/5/68 and Cincinnati teletypes to Bureau dated 9/6/68 and 9/7/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 copies and for Cincinnati, Birmingham, Cleveland and Philadelphia, one copy each of an LHM concerning a UKA rally, Gamber, Maryland, 9/7/68. Copies of this LHM are being disseminated locally to 109th MI GP, NISO, OSI, Secret Service and USA, Baltimore.

Confidential sources referred to in LHM are
[redacted] and [redacted].

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (Bufile- 97-4262)

DATE: 9/11/68

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (157-2888)

SUBJECT: ROY EVERETT FRANKHOUSER, JR.
SM-MIN

**Corrected Agitator Index Card attached.
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TO: SAC, NEW YORK (62-12699)
FROM: SA [REDACTED] (46)
SUBJECT: MINUTEMEN
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Brief description of activity or material

Meeting with [REDACTED], 8/9/68.

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* INDIVIDUALS DESIGNATED BY AN ASTERISK (*) ONLY ATTENDED A MEETING AND DID NOT ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE.
VIOLENCE OR REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES WERE NOT DISCUSSED.

No further action necessary.

2 - Philadelphia (157-) (ROY FRANKHOUSER) (RM)
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August 15, 1968

Minutemen
meeting with [REDACTED] - 8.9.68

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On this date, a member of the Minutemen met with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] on [REDACTED], NYC. They went to a
few bars to talk.

[REDACTED] said that as long as he has not been active
in Minutemen activities, he may as well become active in the
National Renaissance Party. He said he is going to join the
SE next week as a permanent member. His section leader will
be [REDACTED].

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He said he will attend demonstrations and literature
distributions in uniform as soon as the law allows. He said
he has thought about bad publicity but that he has not really
made up his mind about what to do.

He was told that a letter had been written to ROY
FRANKHOUSER as he had asked. He said that that was good because
he wanted to attend at least one Klan rally in the near future
before his trial came up.

TO: SAC (157-341)
FROM: SA [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: UKA, KKKK
RM - KLAN

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Brief description of activity or material

Organizational set-up of Klan in

York, Pa., and South Eastern, Penn-

sylvania.

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Remarks:

ACTION: NONE.

- 1 - 157-341 (UKA, KKKK)
- 1 - 105-4158 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
- 1 - 157-3010
- 1 - 157-1798
- 1 - 157-1890
- 1 - 157-1879
- 1 - 157-1991
- 1 - 157-1213
- 1 - 157-1880
- 1 - 157-1881
- 1 - 157-2233
- 1 - 157-1693
- 1 - 157-1813
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September 6, 1968

The klan in Penna. consists of about thirty members. Roy Frankhouser of Reading, Penna. is the head of the klan throughout the state and serving as [redacted] to Frankhouser is [redacted]. [redacted] lives with Frankhouser in Reading, Penna. There is a group of klansmen from the Philadelphia and Upper Darby area. The leader of this group is [redacted]. In Oxford, Penna., [redacted] leads a group of men and [redacted] [redacted] of Oxford, Penna. leads the women's group.

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In York, Penna. those associated with the klan are [redacted]
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There will be an opening of a book store at 133 South Fourth Street, Reading, Penna. in the near future. The store will sell all right wing publications and any profits taken from the store will be used to finance klan activities throughout the state. Frankhouser and Benton live above the bookstore.

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (62-12699) (46)
FROM : SA [redacted] (46)
SUBJECT: MINUTEMEN 157-447*
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Brief description of activity or material

Meeting with [redacted] 8/24/68.

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* INDIVIDUALS DESIGNATED BY AN ASTERISK (*) ONLY ATTENDED A MEETING AND DID NOT ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE. VIOLENCE OR REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES WERE NOT DISCUSSED.

1 - Philadelphia (157-

)(ROY FRANKHOUSER)(RM)

4 - New York

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1 - [redacted]
1 - 100-161837
1 - 105-6112
1 - 62-12699

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August 25, 1968

Minutemen meeting with [redacted] -8.24.68

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On this date, a member of the Minutemen met with [redacted], also a member and a [redacted].

[redacted] said that he would be at the NRP's street meeting on Sept. 7. He said that at future meetings he might speak.

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He asked the member whether he had received an answer to his letter to ROY FRANKHOUSER concerning the next Ku Klux Klan rally. When informed that FRANKHOUSER had not yet answered the letter, [redacted] said that he might write him a letter soon. He said that he wanted very much to attend a Klan rally and perhaps join the Klan.

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

9/24/68

MEMORANDUM RE: **ROY EVERETT FRANKHOUSER, JR.**
RMOffice File **157-2888***

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: **133 South 4th St., Reading, Pa.**Employment: **Unemployed**

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoSecurity Flash ☒ Yes ☐ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a Security Flash should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial _____

Residence: **133 S. 4th St., Reading, Pa.**Method of Verification: ☐ **10/7/68**

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Neighborhood Source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

Employment: **Operates Freedom Bookstore**Address: **133 S. 4th St., Reading, Pa.**Labor Union Affiliation: **none**Per ☐ **10/7/68**

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Date Checked

Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☐ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☐ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source: **see above**Date: **10-7-68**

Verified by SA:

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: ☐ Yes ☐ NoFD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☐ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☐ No

File Reviewed _____

☐ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials _____

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ACLU Advice Sought On Klan Drive Here

The grand dragon of the Pennsylvania Ku Klux Klan said Monday he would seek the advice of the American Civil Liberties Union before holding demonstrations—and a possible cross-burning rally—during a recruiting drive in the city.

Roy Frankhouser, 29, of Reading, said he was seeking the legal counsel because of what he termed Police Commissioner Frank L. Rizzo's stand with "extremist" groups.

"In Frank Rizzo's Philadelphia, the extreme left and the extreme right have to work behind closed doors at the present time," Frankhouser said. "We have to play it cautious until we have legal protection."

Frankhouser delivered his views over WFIL-TV to reporter Pat Parson during a Monday night newscast.

"We know Frank Rizzo is not going to back too much nonsense from anybody," Frank-

author of books on African politics and leadership in the ghetto.

Frankhouser said, "We intend to organize the Klan here legally and according to the law."

Frankhouser said within the next three weeks he will hold Klan rallies in Reading, and on the outskirts of Philadelphia, then in the city proper.

"My job is to select various areas (in Philadelphia) where the Klan can hold rallies in the future," he said.

The grand dragon said he hopes to hold marches in the city and "I guess we have to ask Rizzo for permission to march."

Frankhouser, who was arrested in Philadelphia twice in 1966, once at a Girard College Negro rally, refused to give Klan membership figures for the city "because we are a secret organization."

In 1965 the House Committee on Un-American Activities reported there were "several hundred" card-carrying Klansmen in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware.

Frankhouser said he was stepping up the Klan membership drive "because the tension in the communities has caused a polarization of the races."

"This is fertile ground for recruiting," he said.

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.)

p.5—"The Philadelphi
Inquirer"
Philadelphia, Pa.

Date: 9/24/68

Edition: Final

Author:

Editor: Walter H. Annenberger

Title:

Character:

or

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Submitting Office: PH

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Brief description of activity or material

S.C. Realm of the UKA held state wide rally at Sumter, S.C., 8/30/68 in connection with state klonvocation. Information regarding speakers and activity which took place at rally set forth.

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Remarks:

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- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 2 - Birmingham (RM)
(1 - 157- ROBERT SHELTON)
- 3 - Charlotte (RM)
(1 - 157- [REDACTED])
(1 - 157- [REDACTED])
- 2 - Indianapolis (RM)
(1 - 157- [REDACTED])
- ② Philadelphia (RM)
(1 - 157- ROY FRANKHOUSER)
- 2 - Richmond (RM)
(1 - 157- [REDACTED])
- 1 - 157-7 (UKA)
- 1 - 157-7SFL (KLAN RALLIES)
- 1 - 157- 2227 (LADIES AUX. UKA)
- 1 - 157-554 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157-470 (SCOGGIN)
- 1 - 157- 2343 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157- 4343 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157-353 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157-2541 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157-1730 [REDACTED]

- 1 - 157-2724
- 1 - 157-1731
- 1 - 157-359
- 1 - 157- 3965
- 1 - 157-4005
- 1 - 157-2929
- 1 - 157- [REDACTED]
- 1 - 157-3294
- 1 - 157- 4090
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The South Carolina Realm, UKA, Inc., KKKK, held a state wide rally in connection with the Klonvocation at Sumter, S.C. The rally was scheduled and held during the afternoon and evening hours of 8/31/68 at the rally grounds which were located about six miles west of Sumter, S.C. The rally grounds started to fill up with Klansmen and other spectators at approximately 12:00 noon that day; however, the rally did not actually begin until that evening. There was an estimated 300 people present at this rally including representatives from several klaverns such as Spartanburg, Hampton, Charleston, and Florence. There were several individuals representing units from North Carolina that appeared for the rally and state klonvocation. During the afternoon of August 31, 1968, the ladies from Hampton and Florence Klaverns sold Mustang tickets in connection with the raffle of the Mustang. A band from Columbia, S.C., started playing about 4:00 p.m. and continued playing until around 8:00 p.m. until the auction was held. Grand Dragon Robert Scoggin actually held the auction and several small items were auctioned off. A pair of pillow cases was sold for \$1.00, Two gallons of paint for \$6.00 and a small quantity of paint was sold for \$3.00. A set of jewelry was raffled off for \$7.50 and a white bed spread with the Klan emblem with raised blood drops was raffled off for \$25.00. There were two genuine

leather ladies purses raffled off for \$20.00 each and a silver certificate was auctioned off for \$10.00. Another silver certificate was sold for \$5.00.

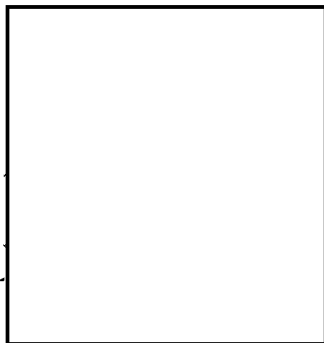
Also on the raffles there was a drawing for a small dog and a transistor radio and Dean Williams of the State Office won the dog and donated it to be sold again. The dog was sold and brought \$10 for the Klan. After the auction the actual rally and speakings started. Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins of South Carolina was master of ceremonies. Scoggins opened the rally and introduced Mr. Kate the Kludd who gave the opening prayer. The first speaker on the agenda was the wife of North Carolina Grand Dragon Mrs. Bob Jones. She spoke mostly to the ladies in attendance at the rally in effort to get them to join the Klan. The next speaker was the wife of Grand Dragon of South Carolina Mrs. Robert E. Scoggins. It was also noted that a shower was given for Mrs. Scoggins at the Klan rally and several of the ladies auxiliaries gave her gifts such as towels, Blankets, gowns and approximately \$21.00 in cash and checks. Mrs. Scoggins' speech was to publicly thank the ladies for the shower. The next speaker was identified as being Mrs. Evelyn Anderson the Exalted Cyclops of the Ladies auxiliary in Florence, S.C. She spoke urging everyone to register and vote for Wallace.

The next speaker was the Imperial representative of S.C. Billy Barnes of Fairfax, S.C. His speech like most all of the others was concerning George Wallace for President. The next speaker was Bob Jones, the Grand Dragon of N.C. and he talked concerning a Negro school situation in Marion County, N.C., and in addition spoke regarding George Wallace for President. After Mr. Jones the Imperial Wizard of the UKA, Inc., Robert Shelton, spoke and his speech was also concerning George Wallace for President. Imperial Wizard also talked of the trial that he, Bob Jones, and Art Carnegie, are to face on Wednesday, 9/4/68, for not showing his books to the Federal Government. Following the Imperial Wizard on the speaking agenda was the Grand Dragon from Indiana William Chaney. The next speaker was the Grand Dragon or possibly the Imperial representative of Pennsylvania, Roy Frankhouser, who reportedly was associated with the Natzi Party. He spoke on Wallace for President and said that the state of Pennsylvania was backing Wallace 100%. Roy Frankhouser also spoke very highly of Grand Dragon Scoggins, Jones along with Imperial Wizard Carnegie. The last speaker was from Virginia and is the Grand Dragon who was identified as being Robert Carnegie. Carnegie only said a few words at which time the master of ceremonies, Grand Dragon Robert Scoggins took over again. The rally was officially closed with a cross lighting ceremony and a prayer.

Following the speaking the Mustang raffle ticket was drawn and the winner was an individual from Pelzer, S.C. The raffle ticket was also drawn on a 21" television set; however, it is believed that the Klan did not have a television to give to the winner. It was noted that Mr. Harry Gilliam of the State Office was in charge of all Mustang tickets for the rally.

During the speaking the Chester Men's Klavern and the Hampton Ladies Klavern were praised for their outstanding job in selling Mustang raffle tickets.

Those members from the Hampton County Klavern, Hampton, S.C., who were in attendance at the state rally on 8/31/68 were identified as follows:



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The ladies from the Hampton County Ladies Auxiliary who were in attendance at the state rally were identified as follows:



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There were no incidents at the Klan rally and the following day the State Klonvocation was held at which time Grand Dragon Robert E. Scoggins was re-elected.

Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material

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Date of Report

8-19-68

Date(s) of activity

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Brief description of activity or material

Informant furnished report concerning activity
of ROBERT M. SHELTON in National Office.

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Remarks: Informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished the following report:

All necessary action has been taken on information furnished:

CAUTION: EXTREME CARE SHOULD BE USED IN THE DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION IN THIS REPORT IN ORDER TO PROTECT SOURCE WHO IS IN A VERY SENSITIVE POSITION.

③ - PHILADELPHIA (RM)
(2 - 105-341 UKA)
① - 157- ROY FRANKHOUSER

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6 - BIRMINGHAM

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1 - 157-1132

1 - 157-2972

(COVER PAGE ONLY)
(UKA, Inc., KKKK)
(ROBERT M. SHELTON)
(MELVIN SEXTON)

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August 19-1968

Information was received at Tuscaloosa, Alabama that on August 19, 1968 ROBERT M. SHELTON, MELVIN SEXTON & COY NEAL worked in the National Office of the UKA. During this time it was learned that a letter was received by the National Office from ROY FRANKHOUSER, from the Reim of Pennsylvania. In this letter it was mentioned that FRANKHOUSER had been elected to some Board Position in the city of Reading, Pa., and also the ~~XXXXXX~~ incitement to riot case against him had been thrown out by the Judge.

Information was also received that SHELTON, SEXTON & NEAL would fly to Gadsden, Ala. to meet with JIM ALLEN on the afternoon of August 19, 1968.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (Bufile- 97-4262)

DATE: 9/9/68

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (105-4158)

Corrected Security Index cards
attached. Substitute for cards
in file and destroy old cards.
Place photograph and description on
reverse side of geographical card.

SUBJECT: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER
SM-MIS

Re: _____

☐ It is recommended that a Security Index Card be prepared on the above-captioned individual.

☒ The Security Index Card on the captioned individual should be changed as follows (specify change only):

Name		Delete: Roy E. Frankhouser		Add: Roy Everett Frankhouser, Jr.	
Aliases		Add: Roy E. Frankhouser; Royson Everett Frankhouser, Jr.;		☐ Native Born ☐ Naturalized ☐ Alien	☐ Tab Detcom ☐ Delete Detcom
☐ Communist ☐ SWP ☐ JFG ☐ SPL ☐ POC ☐ PPA ☐ WWP ☐ SDS ☐ PLP ☐ ANA ☐ PRN ☐ BNT ☐ NOI ☐ RAM ☐ SNC ☐ Miscellaneous (specify) <u>PRIORITY III</u>					
Date of Birth		Place of Birth		Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female
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Geographical Reference Number			Responsibility		

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TO : Director, FBI (Bufile- 97-4262

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FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (157-2888)

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SUBJECT: ROY EVERETT FRANKHOUSER, JR.
RM-MIS.

Re: _____

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☐ WWP	☐ SDS	☐ PLP	☐ ANA
☐ NOI	☐ RAM	☐ SNC	☒ Miscellaneous (specify) <u>Chg PH File to: 157-2888</u>
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TO
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SAC, NEWARK (157-1892)
SA [redacted]
UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.
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Report of meeting of UKA Unit 14,
Bridgeton

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Remarks:

2-Philadelphia (RM) 157-2888
1-105-4158 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
1-157-1982 [redacted]
17-Newark
1-157-2474 [redacted]
1-157-2081 [redacted]
1-157-2023 [redacted]
1-157-2725 [redacted]
1-157-2563 [redacted]
1-157-2256 [redacted]
1-157-new [redacted]
1-157-2267 [redacted]
1-157-2264 [redacted]
1-157-2095 [redacted]
1-157-2475 [redacted]
1-157-2694 [redacted]
1-157-2357 (BBSC)
1-157-1980 (NATIONAL KNIGHTS)
1-157-1840
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ADDENDUM

[redacted] orally advised on 9/9/68 that at the "Wallace for President" meeting held in Bridgeton on 9/7/68 an 8½ x 11 inch leaflet issued by the Bridgeton Bluerock Sportsmen's Club, an UKA group, under caption "Should the American People Be Disarmed?" along with a bumper sticker of the BBSC reading "If guns are outlawed only outlaws will have guns" were available as handouts. One of the leaflets is being xeroxed and made attachments to copies of this FD-306 designated for 157-1892 and 157-2357. b7D

An article on page one of the 9/6/68 issue of the Bridgeton Evening News, Bridgeton, NJ, a local evening newspaper, entitled "Police Foil Second Visit of Burglars" reveals that "three men who reportedly broke into the home of [redacted] [redacted], and called back later saying they would return were surprised on their return by several policemen and a police dog early this morning but managed to escape over a back fence in the darkness." b6 b7C

It is recommended that a 157-case be opened on [redacted] [redacted] to determine if he is identical with the UKA member referred to by informant. Indices are negative on [redacted] [redacted] however, a [redacted] of Bridgeton is subject of 25-14040. b6 b7C

9/9/68

A bimonthly meeting of UKA Unit 14, Bridgeton, was held at the residence of [redacted] Bridgeton, NJ, on Saturday evening 9/7/68. The meeting was attended as follows: [redacted], Millville, NJ.

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The meeting was opened at 8 pm by [redacted]. The first order of business was a report by [redacted] concerning a telephone call from [redacted] of Philadelphia in which he told her that his automobile had been stolen recently while he was visiting the "big boy". At the time of the theft the trunk contained [redacted]'s briefcase which contained UKA monthly financial reports of Unit 14, his robe and a small tear gas gun. [redacted] did not identify the "big boy" in his telephone conversation and it was assumed by the members present that he was referring to ROY FRANKHOUSER of Reading, Pa. [redacted] also told [redacted] that when he located his auto at the Police Garage, the trunk had been pryed open and the briefcase taken.

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A discussion followed concerning what action to take due to the loss of these records and [redacted] was instructed to write to the National Office informing them of the theft and requesting new forms as well as Klan literature. [redacted] was also instructed to make a telephone call to [redacted] to obtain additional facts of the incident in order to be able to answer any questions the National Office may have.

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At 8:45 pm the meeting was terminated temporarily so that the members could attend a "Wallace for President" meeting being held at the West-Side Lucheonette, West Broad St., Bridgeton. The following persons who are members of the National Klan and/or UKA were in attendance at this meeting:

[redacted]	National Klan
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The Wallace meeting was attended by about 75 adults including the above-named persons. Guest speakers were two

representatives of the American Independent Party who appeared to be soliciting members for their party as well as support for WALLACE.

At 10:30 pm members of Unit 14, returned to the [redacted] residence and reopened their Klan meeting. [redacted] mentioned that in conversation with [redacted] of the Salem Unit, some days prior to that evening, [redacted] remarked that the Salem Unit has had no meetings since 1/68. [redacted] also said that [redacted] has closed out the bank account of the Salem Unit but he is still collecting dues. [redacted] also mentioned a recent conversation she had with [redacted] of Alloway, NJ, wherein he told her he does not have his 1968 Passport even though he is a paid up member of the Salem Unit. According to [redacted], [redacted] expressed a desire to rejoin Unit 14 or some other active unit.

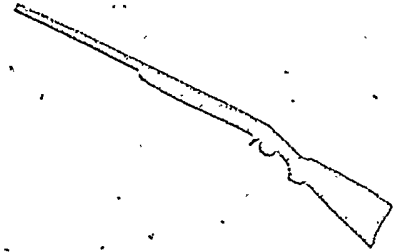
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[redacted] displayed a newspaper article in the local Bridgeton paper concerning a ransacking of a home of an individual attending the WALLACE meeting that evening. [redacted] then identified this man as a member of the UKA who is interested in joining an active UKA unit. This individual is in his late 20's, stocky build, and crewcut hair.

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The meeting ended at 1:30 am.

BRIDGETON BLUEROCK SPORTSMEN'S CLUB



SHOULD THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BE DISARMED?

The riots we have experienced during the past few summers (with particular emphasis on the Newark, N. J. and Detroit, Michigan riots) certainly do not call for the even greater restrictions on guns which are now being pressed for in both the state and federal legislatures.

It certainly was evident that neither the police nor the National Guard was effective in suppressing these Communist-controlled savages led by the Stokely Carmichaels and the H. Rap Browns as they used snipers to help looters come and go as free as birds, and protected their "associates" while they burned Los Angeles, Newark, and Detroit (among many others) to the ground.

It is not the fault of the police if their small numbers are not able to control the many hundreds who are rioting, but it is their fault if they refuse the help of the people who make up this great country. Why should any citizen be told "to stay out of it and let the police handle it" when we know full well that it is the DUTY of every citizen to protect his country, and when we know that it is his RIGHT to protect his family and his property? You may be sure of one thing: had the citizen come out at the very beginning and stopped these riotous traitors, none of these riots could have been carried out.

How about these "good-hearted Americans" who really believe that gun laws will prevent crime? Do you really think that a person bent on committing a crime will feel that it is against his moral code to steal the gun he needs or get it through the underworld? If you do, you are really naive. Will it prevent murders? Certainly not. Those bent on murder will find other ways and other weapons. Will such laws stop riots? Certainly not. It will merely be a way of letting these looting savages know that they can do as they wish for there is no one to stop them.

Keep in mind that the Communists have definite plans to take over America (Stokely Carmichael's visit to Fidel Castro in Cuba, and his ravings and rantings about "the revolution in the United States to free the Negro" is proof of this) and the banning of weapons is high on the agenda of the liberal-socialist, for if they fail on this project, they may have considerable difficulty in seizing control of the government.

Don't let these treasonous politicians tell you otherwise.

Let them know what you want. Be emphatic about it. Do it NOW before it is too late.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
M E M O R A N D U M

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-2888)

SUBJECT: ROY E. FRANKHOUSER, aka
Fred Irisman
RM

DATE: 9/27/68

A review of captioned file in the Philadelphia Division reflects this case will be handled under the racial category.

This file, formerly PH 105-4158 , BU 97-4262 has been consolidated into PH 157-2888

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

October 7, 1968

UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.
KNIGHTS OF KU KLUX KLAN (UKA - KKKK)
REALM OF PENNSYLVANIA

A confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on October 7, 1968, as follows:

Eight people from Pennsylvania attended the Klonvocation held at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, on October 5, 1968. The source identified these people as follows:

[redacted], ROY FRANKHOUSER, [redacted], also known as [redacted], [redacted], who is also called [redacted], and his wife whose name was not determined. The group traveled by plane from Philadelphia to Birmingham, where they rented a car and proceeded to Tuscaloosa, Ala. Part of the group stayed at the Holiday Lodge and part stayed at the Travel Inn motel.

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A characterization of United Klans of America, Inc., is attached.

On October 5, 1968, the group proceeded to the Ramada Inn, where the Klonvocation was being held. However, only [redacted] was allowed into the classes being held in the afternoon of October 5, 1968. An individual named [redacted] advised the group that only [redacted] would be allowed into these classes because she represented the Women's Unit of Pennsylvania and there was no recognized men's group from that state. There was a question on whether the group would be allowed to remain at the Ramada Inn until the banquet started, until ROBERT SHELTON himself recognized [redacted] and stated that it was a legitimate group and they could remain at the Inn until the banquet started. However, only [redacted] was allowed into classes being held at the Inn.

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UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.
KNIGHTS OF KU KLUX KLAN (UKA - KKKK)
REALM OF PENNSYLVANIA

At approximately 9 o'clock p.m., on October 5, 1968, following the meal at the banquet, Reverend SPEARS spoke for several minutes and introduced ROBERT SHELTON. SHELTON then spoke for about 25 minutes attacking Jews in the United States. A movie was also shown which lasted for nearly a half hour showing Negro leaders throughout the United States and giving quotes from them concerning their determination for an open revolution in the United States. The movie also showed scenes of riots throughout the United States that occurred in the summer of 1967. The affair closed approximately at midnight on October 5, 1968.

During the time directly proceeding the banquet, ROY FRANKHOUSER and [redacted] disappeared from the Pennsylvania group and did not return to the Klonvocation until the banquet was underway. They claimed that they had gone up to Klan Headquarters in Birmingham, Alabama to get instructions on how to run the campaign for presidential candidate GEORGE WALLACE, but mileage on the rented car of the group indicated they had not traveled far enough to make such a trip. No explanation was given by these individuals for the apparent discrepancy.

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During the Klonvocation, an individual identifying himself as GEORGE ELLINGTON from Richmond, Va., claimed that he was the Titan of the Klan in Virginia and that he had 2,400 Klansmen under his authority.

When the Pennsylvania group left Philadelphia, there had been an individual named [redacted] of Philadelphia, Pa., who had stated he had intended to go on the trip, but felt that he could use his money better somewhere else and backed out of the trip.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-370)
 FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-341)
 SUBJECT: UKA, KKKK
RM - KLAN

Re Bu airtel to Philadelphia, dated 9/27/68,
 captioned "[REDACTED]"

Enclosed for the Bureau are an original and
 eight copies of a self-explanatory LHM suitable for dis-
 semination.

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 1- [REDACTED]
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 1- (157-) (IKA, KKKK)
 1- (157-) [REDACTED]
 4-Birmingham (Enc. -4) (RM)
 1- (157-722) (UKA, KKKK)
 1- (157-) [REDACTED]
 1- (157-) (ROBERT M. SHELTON)
 1- (157-) [REDACTED]
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 1- (157-1798) [REDACTED]
 1- (157-4158) (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
 1- (157-) [REDACTED]
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The source referred to in the enclosed LHM is

[redacted], who furnished information to SA [redacted]
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Enclosed for Birmingham are four copies, and
Richmond two copies, of the enclosed LHM.

TO: SAC, Philadelphia (157-1646)
FROM: SA JOHN R. WINEBERG
SUBJECT: UKA, KKK-PENNA.
RM-KLAN

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Date of Report

9/29/68

Date(s) of activity

9/23/68

Brief description of activity or material

ROY FRANKHOUSER, 133 South 4th Street,
Reading, Pa.

File where original is located if not attached

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Remarks:

ACTION: NONE

- 1 - Birmingham (105-560) (ROBERT SHELTON) (RM)
- 2 - Columbia (RM)
- 2 - Washington Field (RM)
- 7 - Philadelphia
 - 1 - 157-1646
 - 1 - 157-3010
 - 1 - 157-2888 (ROY FRANKHOUSER)
 - 1 - 157-1790
 - 1 - 157-733 (ROBERT M. SHELTON)
 - 1 - 157-341 (UKA. INC.-KKKK)
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Meeting at _____ Horse Farm, _____,

Upper Chichester, Pa.

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Remarks: ACTION: NONE

- 2 - Richmond (157-) (Info) (RM)
- 2 - Norfolk (157-) (Info) (RM)
- 9 - Philadelphia
 - 1 - 157-1646
 - 1 - 157-341 (UKA, Inc., KKKK)
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"Sept 29, 1968

"Date: Aug. 11, 1968

Time: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Place: [redacted] Horse Farm, [redacted], Upper Chichester Twp.

People whom I know:

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[redacted]
ROY FRANKHOUSER
[redacted]

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"[redacted] arrived at [redacted]'s horse farm at approx. 1:00 p.m. and was met by [redacted] and ROY FRANKHOUSER who introduced [redacted] TO [redacted] who is living with FRANKHOUSER and is working as [redacted]. [redacted] told [redacted] he has a past history of helping set up on a business basis and organizing other right wing groups, specifically college youth groups in California and a minuteman group known as the Sonorra Rangers.

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"[redacted] told [redacted] that [redacted] are again back living with [redacted] and that [redacted] was down in Va. for the weekend on Klan business.

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"At this time [redacted] was introduced to two men called [redacted] and [redacted]."

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"FRANKHOUSER told [redacted] the Klan was really getting more active since [redacted] had come on the scene and that he intends to open 'A Klan Bookstore' at his home in Reading selling all right wing Klan literature to help raise money for the Klan.

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"After doing their talking the men went out and did some target shooting with rifles supplied by [redacted].

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"Description of [redacted] (LNU) and [redacted] is as follows:

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"#1 [redacted] (LNU)

Age: 23

Height: 5'10"

Weight: 170

Hair: Dark brown

Marks: [redacted]

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"#2 - [REDACTED]
Age: 25
Height: 5'10" - 5'11"
Weight: 260
Hair: Blonde
Eyes: Blue
Marks: [REDACTED]

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"this concludes this report."

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